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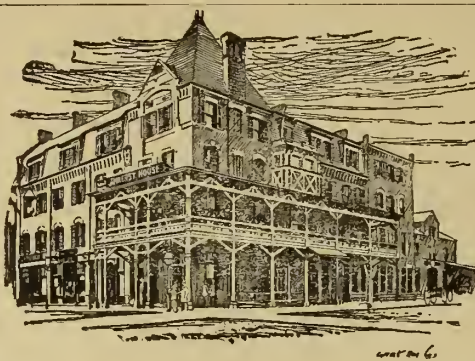
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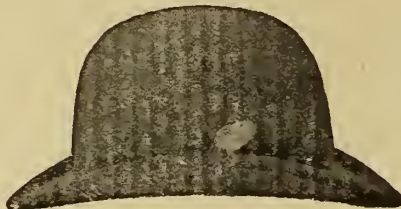
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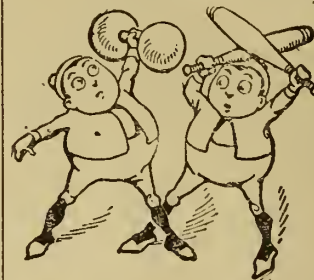
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## FOOTBALL.

AMHERST, 20 ; M. A. C., 4.

Amherst played her first football game of the season on Pratt Field, Wednesday afternoon, and won from M. A. C. by a score of 20 to 4. The weather was fine and the field in good condition. Amherst's line was weak but Aggie's was no stronger and the two teams lined up nearly equal in strength. There were no sensational plays on either side and no long runs were made in the game. For Amherst, the best work was done by Whitney who made the greatest number of touchdowns though Kendall put up a strong game and made gains whenever given the ball. Rosa at right end played his usual game and proved a wall to any attempts on the part of Aggie to gain around his end. Ballantine at left end showed himself a good acquisition to the team and did some fine tackling. For M. A. C., Gile punted well, and Baker and Crowell played a good game.

At 3 o'clock the teams lined up on the field. Aggie won the toss and kicked off. Kendall got the ball on Amherst's 25 yard line but was immediately downed. Amherst fumbled and Aggie continued to gain until she carried the ball over Amherst's line after five minutes of snappy play. Aggie failed to kick goal and the score stood 4 to 0 in her favor. On the next line up, Griffin kicked off and Aggie got the ball but four downs gave it to Amherst. Whitney and Kendall advanced the ball 25 yards when Aggie again gained possession on a fumble. Ballantine here made a pretty tackle and Kendall got the ball which was carried over the line by Whitney on the next play. Griffin kicked the goal. On the next kick off, Pratt got the ball and punted to Ballantine who fell on it. Kendall made 10 yards twice in succession through Aggie's centre. Amherst fumbled near the goal line and Aggie had the ball on Amherst's 25 yard line when time was called. Score, Amherst, 6 ; M. A. C., 4.

The second half opened with some lively playing. Dudley relieved Lewis at right guard and Gibbs substituted at quarter-back. It was Amherst's ball after the kick off and Whitney made short gains for a while. The ball was finally lost on four downs. Rosa here made a phenomenal tackle and Amherst again got the ball. Kendall made a gain through the centre and Whitney made a touchdown but the ball was accidentally put in play on the kick, and the score was 10

to 4. Aggie then kicked off, but Kendall got the ball and continued to gain around right end until he finally crossed the line. Griffin succeeded in kicking the goal and six points more were added to the score. The game was now clearly won for Amherst and new men were given a trial. Eliason took Watson's place and Kendall gave way to Godfrey. The latter made one long run and played with considerable snap. Aggie was tired out and Amherst scored again but Griffin failed to kick the goal. There remained about a minute of play but time was soon called with the ball in Aggie's territory.

The line up was as follows :

AMHERST.		M. A. C.
Rosa,	r. e.,	Halligan
Elam,	r. t.,	Eaton
Lewis, Dudley,	r. g.,	Cook
Winslow,	c.,	Parmenter
Walker,	l. g.,	Stanley
Watson, Eliason,	l. t.,	Beaman
Ballantine,	l. e.,	Walker
Pratt, Gibbs,	q. b.,	Dorman
Whitney,	r. h. b.,	Crowell
Kendall, Godfrey,	l. h. b.,	Baker
Griffin,	f. b.,	Gile

Score—Amherst 20 ; M. A. C. 4. Time—15 minute halves. Umpire, Blanchard. Referee, Smith. Linesmen—Nichols and Dutcher. Touchdowns—Baker 1, Kendall 1, Whitney 3.

## CRITICISM OF THE TEAM.

The game Wednesday afternoon showed one thing conclusively, namely, that we are weak in our line. Aggie made most of her gains through the guards and particularly through the right guard. We play Yale next Wednesday and it will be a disgrace to the College if we do not send down something better than a preparatory school line. Our backs are good, but we must have some heavier men in the rush line, and there are such men in College who are perfectly able to come out and play a strong game but who have thus far failed to do their duty in this respect. And it is not only the men that can come out and will not that are to blame, for a far larger number of those who would otherwise be the most promising candidates for the team have fallen back in their work and are thus rendered ineligible, when a little extra application and a little self denial would have given them the necessary rank in their college work. There is a crying need for substitute backs, tackles and ends. To return to Wednesday's game, the team did as well as they could; the line though light is plucky and has true foot ball spirit. Fumbling was the bad feature of the game and was responsible for Aggie's scoring their

one touchdown. The situation would assume an entirely new aspect if there were more available candidates from which to pick the eleven. The freshman class has not furnished the weight expected and it now devolves on the other classes to make up the deficiency. We have a good coach and it will not be his fault if we do not turn out a winning team.

## GAMES NEXT WEEK.

We play Yale at New Haven next Wednesday and Holy Cross on Pratt Field a week from to-day. Last year we put up a splendid game against Yale, the score being 12 to 0 in favor of Yale. Yale has a light team this year composed chiefly of new men. It will of course be a hard game, but with a couple of heavier men in the line the eleven can be trusted to hold Yale down to a respectable score.

The Holy Cross game on the home grounds should not give the team much trouble. A week ago Holy Cross defeated Aggie 4 to 0. A comparison of this with the score of Wednesday's game shows that with the improvement of a week's practice and another game Amherst ought to be able to win. This is the first time Holy Cross has had a football team in some years and hence the men must be comparatively new to college football.

## TRAINING TABLE.

The football training table opens at the Amherst House Monday night. Coach Tyler and Captain Arter have not yet decided what men will be taken to the training table at first, but a dozen will be chosen among whom will be those who played in Wednesday game.

## FOOTBALL NOTES.

Indications are that Harvard will have an exceptionally heavy team this year. Her line will average over 200 pounds per man in weight, and the four men behind the line average over 160 pounds each. Harvard's new football policy should give her a winning team. She has relegated Dr. Deland and his fellow tacticians to their proper position of auxiliaries, gathered together a corps of old players to coach the individual men, and will go in for faultless team play.

Yale will have but little more than a fair team this year. Most of last year's team have graduated or will not play this year from one cause or another and the coaches have the task of developing an eleven out of new material. These men however are plentiful and promising.

The Wesleyan eleven has been practicing for two weeks. Captain Young and his brother are still playing ends and as an unusual amount of football material is in the entering class Amherst may expect a repetition of last year's contest.

Among the games scheduled for to-day are: Harvard and Williams at Cambridge; Newton A. A. and Boston University at Newton Centre; Bowdoin and Bates at Brunswick, Me.; U. of P. and Bucknell at Philadelphia; Yale and Wesleyan at New Haven; Princeton and Lehigh at Princeton; Tufts and Brown at Providence.

### PROFESSOR GROSVENOR'S NEW BOOK.

Professor Grosvenor has recently translated a modern Greek romance, which is now in process of publication by the Roberts Bros. of Boston and which will be in the hands of the public in a few weeks. The romance is entitled *Andronike*, from the name of the heroine and was written in the Greek by Stephanos Theodorus Xenos. The plot is set in the most thrilling and tragic period of the Greek Revolution and is one of absorbing interest. Even now prominent critics bespeak for the book a place among the great romances of literary art.

Certain it is that the book will make a profound impression upon the literature of the day. The word painting is particularly vivid, carrying the reader into the very heart of Greek life. The character sketches are intensely realistic. The book deals with the strange vicissitudes of fortune so common in Greece; of the sudden downfall of riches and the as rapid transformation of poverty into wealth. It is said by those familiar with contemporary Greek literature that no other work, be it history, sketch, or travel, offers so vivid and vital a panorama of the Greek life of to-day and also of the Greek methods of thought. The author in telling his wonderful story has brought out clearly the daily life, the native habits, traits and aspirations of the Greek people. The book touches upon the vital chords of modern Greek history. This book Professor Grosvenor has interpreted rather than merely translated and those who have read the inimitable *Constantinople* will easily recall his fitness for this kind of work. He has steered his way successfully through a maze of Greek dialects and has presented the public with a story of absorbing interest, which is sure to hold the reader spell-bound as the phases of the story unfold.

### NORTHAMPTON—AMHERST ELECTRICS.

On the evening of Friday, Sept. 24, a company to be called the Northampton and Amherst Street Railway company was organized at Northampton with the object of connecting the two college towns by an electric road. The capitalization of the road will be \$150,000 and nearly one half the amount has already been subscribed. The largest share holders are experienced railroad men from the eastern part of the state and there now seems to be nothing to prevent the immediate construction of the road, which has so long been talked of. The chief obstacle lies in the crossing of the Connecticut river, and in case the company is unable to obtain a location upon the present bridge they will be obliged to build another. This however will be done if necessary and we may expect to see the road in operation soon.

### Y. M. C. A. RECEPTION.

The reception tendered Mr. Hubert Clark '92, the new secretary of the Y. M. C. A. by the association at their room last Wednesday evening was attended by a large number of students. The room was tastefully decorated by the committee in charge. The Glee club was present and favored the audience with several selections. The addresses of welcome were given by President Gates, Dr. Hitchcock and E. H. Smith, president of the association. To these addresses Mr. Clark responded in well chosen words, after which refreshments were served. The efforts of the association to secure a secretary have at last succeeded and it is to be congratulated upon securing Mr. Clark. In addition to his work in the association, Mr. Clark will assist Professor Tyler in Biology.

### POPE BICYCLE.

Col. A. A. Pope has again sent the athletic department an 1897 Columbia bicycle, model 45, to be given as a prize to that student who shall win the greatest number of points in the three regular college meets of the year, the fall meet, heavy gym and the spring meet. The bicycle is at the Resort and can be seen by anyone who so desires.

### FRESHMAN CUP.

Mr. H. E. Whitcomb '94 of Worcester again offers a loving cup to be awarded to that member of the freshman class who shall meet the same conditions as are required for the winning of the Pope bicycle prize.

### CLASS BASEBALL.

Ninety-Eight and Ninety-Nine played the first game of the inter-class baseball series on Pratt Field, Saturday, Sept. 25, and the result was a victory for Ninety-Nine. Ninety-nine bunched her hits in the fourth inning and got five runs. The Seniors were unable to overcome this lead, and the game was called after the first half of the fifth inning with the score eight to six in favor of Ninety-Nine.

In the fourth inning Tinker made a two base hit followed by single hits by Kendall and Whitney. These hits aided by one or two errors on the part of Ninety-Eight put Ninety-Nine three runs ahead. In the latter half of this inning, Tinker made a fine throw to home plate, cutting off a run. The score:

#### NINETY-NINE.

	A.B.	R.	B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Griffin p.,	2	0	0	0	2	1
Rosa 1b.,	2	2	2	3	0	0
DeWitt 3b.,	3	0	0	2	1	3
Tinker c.f.,	2	1	1	0	1	0
Kendall l.f.,	2	1	1	1	0	0
Whitney c.,	2	1	1	4	1	0
Russell s.s.,	3	1	0	0	0	1
Locke r.f.,	3	1	0	1	0	0
Messenger 2b.,	3	1	0	4	1	0
Totals,	22	8	5	15	6	5

#### NINETY-EIGHT.

	A.B.	R.	B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Gregory 2b.,	4	1	1	2	2	1
Otterson 1b.,	3	1	0	4	0	2
Johnston s.s.,	2	1	0	0	1	2
Burd c.f.,	3	0	2	0	0	0
Walker 3b.,	3	0	0	1	1	1
Strong l.f.,	3	1	2	0	0	0
Blanchard r.f.,	0	1	0	1	0	0
Wright c.,	3	0	0	4	1	0
McAllister p.,	1	1	0	0	1	0
Totals,	22	6	5	12	6	6

Innings  
Juniors, 1 2 3 4 5  
Seniors, 1 0 2 2 1-6  
Two base hits—Rosa, Burd, Tinker. Struck out—Gregory, Otterson, Griffin 2, DeWitt, Whitney, Russell. Base on balls—by Griffin 6, by McAllister 4. Passed balls—Whitney 2, Wright 2. Time 1 h. 15m. Umpire, Lieut. Wright.

### FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE GAME.

The freshman-sophomore baseball game which was scheduled for last Wednesday will be played this afternoon. The names of the players who will probably play on the two nines are:

#### SOPHOMORE

	FRESHMEN
Watson, 1b.,	Moore
Righter, 2b.,	Stevens
Crapo, 3b.,	Fisher
Holman, s.s.,	Kretschmar
Wheeler, l.f.,	Royse
Flichtner c.f.,	Roden
Franklin, r. f.,	Bates
Burdon, p.,	Davis
Thompson, c.,	Couch
Spining, sub.	

### ELECTION OF MANAGERS.

The election of assistant football manager will probably take place in chapel next Tuesday morning. The election of assistant baseball manager is scheduled for the following week.



**FALL ATHLETIC MEET.**

The fall athletic meet will take place on Pratt Field, Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 13. In addition to the usual events there will be a class relay race and the discus throwing. These new events will count as many points as the other events. Among the members of the junior class who will probably enter the meet are Locke, Dewar, Messenger, Cobb, Duncan, Colman, Pottle, Morse, French, Redfern, and Kendall. The sophomore class will be represented by Klaer, Burdon, Brigham, Franklin, Barnum, Boggs, Ramsdell, R. S. Hubbard and Holman. The freshman class contains much good material, as will doubtless appear in the meet. Gladwin, the winner of the Western Massachusetts Interscholastic loving cup, is an all-round athlete, and may be expected to win a number of points for 1901. Goodwin of the Hotchkiss school, Field of the Worcester High school, and Godfrey of the Northampton High school are other promising athletes in the class.

**THE AMHERST SUMMER SCHOOL.**

The 22 session of the Sauveur Summer School of Languages closed Aug. 13. While only 150 students, taking either full or partial courses were enrolled, against 200 last year yet the interest and enthusiasm was fully as high, and a very successful session was held. The special features of this year's Summer School were the Shakespearean lectures by Prof. William J. Rolfe and the course of three lectures on "Moral Instruction in Schools" delivered by Dr. Edward Everett Hale. The social features of the school were the evening entertainments and the usual Saturday recreations. Two evenings during the summer were devoted to the presentation of plays, one in French and one in German, accompanied by readings and recitations, and the class in Library Economy which numbered 33 also gave a very pleasant "Book Party."

**NEWSPAPER CORRESPONDENTS.**

The college correspondence to the various newspapers will be carried on this year by the following men:

F. H. Atwood '99 { *Associated Press,*  
                          *Springfield Union,*  
                          *College Athlete.*  
F. Q. Blanchard '98, *New York World,*  
Burgess Johnson '99, *New York Evening Post,*  
L. D. Wilcox '99, *Boston Globe,*  
J. S. Johnston '98, *Boston Herald,*  
C. A. Strong '98, *Boston Journal,*  
W. H. King, Jr. '99, *Springfield Republican.*

**DARTMOUTH AND WILLIAMS FOOTBALL PROSPECTS.**

The prospects for a good football team at Dartmouth this fall are very promising. Active training has been in progress for the past week, and the wearers of the green are confident that their college will be represented by a team equal in excellence to that of last year. Behind the line all the backs, with the exception of Captain McCornack, have returned. The veterans, Eckstorm, who is the captain of the team, MacAndrews and Crolius, form for Dartmouth a rare combination of ground gainers.

Perkins and Wentworth are very promising candidates for the position of quarterback left vacant by the graduation of McCornack. Walker and Cavanaugh have resumed their old places in the line. Among the most prominent candidates to fill the positions made vacant by Kelley, Pillsbury, Marshall and Edwards are Boyle at left end, Goodell, guard, Jackson, center, and Hutchison, end. It is feared that Putnam, who played tackle last fall, will not return, owing to a deficiency in his college work. Much material for a strong and heavy line is at hand. Lowe, Oakes, Goodell, Jackson and Walker each weigh 200 pounds or over. Dartmouth plays her first game to-day against the Phillips Exeter team, at Hanover.

Williams has been unfortunate in losing a good share of her line. Of the old men in the line only two have returned. Chadwell will again play at left end and Lotz at right guard. Simmons, left tackle, Seeley, left guard, Bieler, center, Williams, right tackle and Bristol, right end, appear at present to be the most promising candidates for the positions left vacant by Lee, Wright, McGowan, Cory and Rutter. The backs are essentially the same as last year with the exception of C. Davis, who is playing full back in the place of Fifer. A. Davis will play at quarterback, and Draper and Denman as half-backs. Williams played her first game last Saturday with the Laureates of Troy, N. Y., defeating them by a score of 6 to 0. There was much fumbling on the part of both teams, and the game showed the necessity of much harder training on the part of Williams for the next few weeks.

**'DARTMOUTH SCHEDULE.**

Oct. 2.—Phillips Exeter at Hanover.  
9.—Harvard at Cambridge.  
16.—Univ. of Penn., at Philadelphia.  
23.—Bowdoin at Hanover.  
30.—Princeton at Princeton.  
Nov. 6.—Univ. of Vt., at Burlington.

13.—Amherst at Hanover.  
20.—Williams at Williamstown.  
25.—Newton Athletic Club at Newton.

**WILLIAMS SCHEDULE.**

Oct. 2.—Harvard at Cambridge.  
9.—Yale at New Haven.  
16.—Lehigh at Albany.  
20.—Princeton at Princeton.  
23.—Wesleyan at Williamstown.  
30.—Colgate at Williamstown.  
Nov. 6.—Amherst at Amherst.  
13.—Cornell at Buffalo.  
20.—Dartmouth at Williamstown.

**TENNIS TOURNAMENT.**

The schedule of games to be played in the tennis tournament has been arranged as follows:

Singles (preliminary round) Mahony vs. Wells; M. H. Browne vs. Wilkins; Henderson vs. E. H. Lyall; Whitney vs. Johnston; Trefethen vs. Gregory; E. St. J. Ward vs. Fisher; Atkinson vs. A. V. Lyall; Holman vs. Messenger.

First round—Dewar vs. Crapo; Bedford vs. Woodworth; C. M. Pratt vs. Burd; R. S. Hubbard vs. F. W. Goddard.

Doubles (preliminary round) Merriam and Messenger vs. Bedford and Atkinson; Mahony and Wilkins vs. J. S. Johnston and Flichtner; Whitney and Fisher vs. C. F. Merrill and Tyler; Trefethen and Reynolds vs. Lyall and Kimball; Gregory and Goddard vs. Dewar and Lyall; Larkin and Browne vs. E. St. J. Ward and Hubbard.

First round—Watson and Crapo vs. Hitchcock and Holman.

**ADMISSION PRIZES.**

The examination for the freshman admission prizes will begin the first week in October according to the following schedule:

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6.**

P. M.  
2-00 Mathematics.  
4-00 Recess.  
4-15 Ancient History (Classical).  
Ancient and Modern History (Scientific).

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9.**

2-00 Latin (Classical).  
Latin }  
Chemistry } (Scientific.)  
Physics }  
4-00 Recess.  
4-15 English.

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13.**

2-00 Greek (Classical).  
French }  
German } (Scientific.)  
4-00 Recess.  
4-15 Modern Geography (Scientific).

Examinations will be held in Room 2, Walker Hall and all candidates should leave their names at the Registrar's office on Monday next.

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THE STUDENT would speak a hearty word of encouragement for the tennis tournament now in progress. With some excellent new material in College, there is every reason to expect that the present tournament will be won by men who will represent us with honor in the championship contest of next spring.

WE wish that some arrangement might be made whereby a list of all the men in College, together with their Amherst addresses could be published during the first week of the fall term. The opening year always finds, in addition to the whole freshman class, very many of the old students quartered in new rooms. A great deal of inconvenience is always the result, and the inconvenience is not entirely obviated until the appearance of the *Olio* in December. At Yale as no doubt at other colleges such a list, called the preliminary catalogue, is issued at the opening of the term. There is apparently no reason why this method should not be adopted at Amherst.

THE attention of the freshman class should be called to the fact that only about half a dozen men have appeared in training for the fall athletic meet. This meet is held pri-

marily to bring out and develop new material in the entering class. In this way alone can any idea be gained of what material the class contains. As stated in last week's STUDENT there are several men in the class who have distinguished themselves in athletic contests before entering Amherst, but it should not devolve upon these few men to win all the points for the class. Less than two weeks remain before the meet and it is the duty of every man who has any athletic ability or whose friends think he has, to go down to Pratt Field and show it.

THE STUDENT desires this early in the year to call attention to the cheering done by the College at our athletic contests. In the past the cheering of the Amherst men has been only spasmodic, not unanimous and well sustained. This year if ever the success of the football team will require that this fault be remedied and measures to that end should be taken at once. If each class would appoint leaders of cheering and then on every occasion this fall practice the yells, by the time of the championship games the College will be able to cheer the team on in the true way. It is not so much a question of voices as of practice in getting them all exactly together. At the first home game this practice ought to commence so that by the time we meet Williams the College can in the most effective way help the team on to victory. A noticeable feature at the Yale-Princeton game last fall was the cheering of Princeton which went a long way toward deciding the issue of the contest. This systematic kind of work is possible for Amherst and needs only a little attention and practice to bring the desired result.

THE game with the M. A. C. eleven on Wednesday revealed at least two important facts concerning Amherst's team. One of these facts is the discouraging weakness of our line and the urgent need of a stronger second eleven than has yet appeared, to give our men hard practice. All manner of schemes have been resorted to during the last two or three years to develop a strong second eleven and each has met with only partial success. This year our need is apparently greater than ever and we venture to suggest one more plan to the football management. We suggest that if possible, arrangements be made with the eleven from the State College to play against our team two or three afternoons each week until our championship games are over. The Aggies

have a much heavier and stronger team than usual this year and would be able to give our men better practice than could possibly be given them by a second eleven from our own number. We understand that even greater difficulty in getting hard practice is experienced at the State College than with us and we believe that such an arrangement as we have suggested would be mutually beneficial and that the results obtained would justify any reasonable expense.

## CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, Oct. 2.—Baseball game at Pratt Field, 1900 vs. 1901.

SUNDAY, Oct. 3.—Preaching in the College Church at 10:45 A. M. by Rev. Henry Preserved Smith of Lakewood, N. J.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 6.—Football game in New Haven, Amherst vs. Yale.

FRIDAY, Oct. 8.—Mountain Day.

SATURDAY, Oct. 9.—Football game on Pratt Field, Amherst vs. Holy Cross.

## OFFICIAL NOTICES.

Competitors for positions on the editorial board of THE STUDENT are expected to present themselves at my room between seven and eight o'clock this evening, to receive credit for work done in the current issue of THE STUDENT.

J. H. MARRIOTT, Phi Delta Theta House.

Competition for the position of assistant business manager of THE STUDENT will commence immediately. The amount of work required will not be great and will be distributed over a considerable length of time. All Juniors desiring to enter the competition will hand their names to the business manager within a few days.

WALTER B. MAHONY.

Any member of the College interested in having THE STUDENT sent regularly to his own, or to some other preparatory school will please notify the editor-in-chief by postal.

CLINTON A. STRONG.

## RELIGIOUS NOTES.

Reports were received from the delegates to the Northfield Student Conference at the prayer meeting Thursday evening.

Rev. Henry Preserved Smith '69, of Lakewood, N. J., will occupy the pulpit of the College Church to-morrow morning.

The freshman Bible class was addressed by Rev. Cuthbert Hall last Sunday on the subject which is to be taken up during the term.



N. S. Elderkin, Preserved Smith and H. B. Zimmerman have been appointed as the freshman committee to select topics and choose leaders for the 1901 class prayer meetings.

The Missionary class will hold a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. room this evening at 7-00 o'clock. An excellent opportunity is offered for a broad study of the great subject of missions. The subject of this term's study will be "A Brief Survey of the Mission Field."

Sunday, 7-00 P. M., Y. M. C. A. meeting at the rooms of the association in Williston Hall, led by Mr. Hubert Clark, college Y. M. C. A. secretary. Topic, "How can I best serve the interests of Christ during the coming year." All College men are invited to attend this service.

### IN BRIEF.

Frederick Schwarz 1901 has left College.

Rev. L. B. Goodrich '88, was in town this week.

The class of 1900 will elect officers this evening.

The senior class elections will be held. Oct. 22.

W. B. Ford ex-'97 visited Amherst Wednesday.

There was no publication of the *Summer Student* this year.

The billiard room at the Gymnasium will be open after the fall athletics meet.

The Seniors commence their work in debates, October 18.

Professor Emerson returned from his trip abroad Monday night.

E. C. Morse '97, was in Amherst the latter part of the week.

Ten members of the class of '97 are studying for the ministry.

A. E. Porter '98, will sing in the Congregational church this year.

W. J. Ballou ex-'97, enters Hartford Theological Seminary this fall.

Charles R. Taylor of Norwich, N. Y., has entered the freshman class.

The Seniors had their first examination in Psychology Tuesday morning.

Work in the Physics Laboratory for the junior class began last Tuesday.

The junior division in Chemistry commenced laboratory work Tuesday.

E. F. Perry ex-'96 will have a hospital position this fall at Yonkers, N. Y.

The Sophomore and Freshmen had an informal rush Thursday morning.

Professor Frink preached at the Memorial church, Springfield, last Sunday.

Middaugh's musical comedy company will appear at the Town Hall, Oct. 4.

A. H. Pierce and E. T. Esty are studying color blindness under Doctor Phillips.

The Springfield *Republican* of Wednesday published a picture of Captain Arter.

Dr. Hitchcock's class in Anatomy were given an examination on the bones Tuesday morning.

The college Y. M. C. A. is canvassing the sophomore and freshman classes for new members.

H. L. Barker '96, who is attending Harvard Medical school visited friends in Amherst this week.

Professor Harris testified Tuesday before the grand jury in the Condon poison case at Springfield.

The entering class at Smith numbers 333, at Mount Holyoke 161, at Dartmouth 185, at Williams 110.

J. R. Penn ex-'99, will return to College and resume work with 1900 at the beginning of the spring term.

Among the new books recently added to the Library is a "Primer of College Football" by W. H. Lewis '92.

Mrs. Rufus B. Kellogg, wife of the founder of the Kellogg Prizes and the Kellogg Fellowship died in Paris, Aug. 4.

At a meeting of the sophomore class last Monday morning, F. H. Klaer was elected athletic director for this year.

At a meeting of the senior class held last Tuesday morning, it was voted to observe Mountain Day next Friday, Oct. 8.

Professor Frink will meet next Tuesday morning the Seniors who did not take his junior course in Public Speaking.

The Freshmen held a meeting in the Chapel Wednesday afternoon and W. D. Ballentine was elected temporary chairman.

The Hutchins Greek Prize, awarded to H. D. Brackett '98, was omitted from the list published in THE STUDENT of last week.

A large delegation of Amherst men attended "The Girl from Paris," at the Academy of Music, Northampton, last Monday evening.

Vanderbilt, Pelton and Stevens have been appointed as the freshman committee to decide on a monogram for the class sweater for gym drill.

Edwin C. Buffum, 1901, has been pledged by the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

The junior debates will begin next Wednesday. The class will meet in two divisions this term, the same questions being discussed in both divisions.

The opening sale of tickets for the Union Lecture course will be held on the evening of Oct. 13. Announcements are now in the hands of the printer.

A. H. Sharp '99, will not return to College this year, but will attend the University of Wisconsin. He expects to return to Amherst to complete his course senior year.

An optional class in English Literature has been formed by Professor Genung. Readings from Browning's works are held in Walker Hall every Friday evening.

In the absence from town of Professor Grosvenor, the junior division in History did not meet last Monday morning. On Tuesday President Gates lectured to the class on "The State."

At a meeting of class representatives at Smith College Monday it was voted to adopt golf as one of the college recreations and arrangements were made for the laying out of a set of links.

The address on "The Permanence of the Greek Type," delivered by Professor Grosvenor before the American Antiquarian Society, April 28, has been published in pamphlet form.

G. A. Callahan, ex-captain of the football team, played a brilliant game at center on the Newton Athletic team Saturday. E. M. Sands, quarterback of last year's team, also played on the Newton eleven.

Mrs. E. F. Bennett of Winchester, the matron of Pratt Health cottage is here and is rapidly putting the cottage in order. The furniture and fixtures have arrived and the cottage will be ready for patients in about a week.

Mrs. Charles R. Fay gave a reception last Friday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. F. M. Warren, of Portland, Ore. In addition to members of the faculty, there were present Prof. J. H. Robinson and wife, of Columbia University.

Dr. N. C. Haskell '87, has opened an office at J. A. Rawson's and intends practicing medicine in town. For the past few years he has been specializing in Paris and on his return, became head physician at a Boston hospital. While in College Dr. Haskell was manager of the football team and played on both the baseball and football teams.

President Gates spoke on "The Broader Aspects of the Work of the American Missionary Association," at the Wednesday session of the annual meeting of the Franklin conference of Congregational churches, held at Northfield on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The regular freshman gymnasium drill was omitted Monday in order that the members of the class might have an opportunity of showing their athletic ability on the track at Pratt Field. A number of athletic events under the direction of Mr. Nelligan and Captain Mossman of the athletic team, indicated that there was good material for development in the class.

Professor Ramsay the noted chemist of the University of London and the discoverer of Argon, Professor Remsen of Johns Hopkins University and Professor Southworth of Springfield were the guests of President Gates last Friday afternoon. They were driven about the town and college grounds and inspected the chemical and physical laboratories.

### COLLEGE CHOIR.

The following men at present compose the college choir: First tenors, McAllister '98, Child '98, Duncan '99 and Morgan 1901; second tenors, A. Mossman '98, Smith '99 and Dyer 1901; First basses, H. Walker '98, Corsa '99 and Young 1900; second basses, Cobb '97, Brooks '99, Pottle '99 and G. A. Howe '99. The above men have been temporarily selected and will continue to sing for a few Sundays after which the final selection will be made.

### AMHERST AT NORTHFIELD.

Amherst was represented at the Northfield Student Conference early in the summer by 28 men. This is the largest delegation from here that has attended one of these conferences. There were 900 students in attendance, an hitherto unequalled number and Amherst sent one of the largest delegations present. Some of the principal speakers whom Amherst men are especially interested in were Rev. Dr. McKenzie, John R. Mott, and Mr. Moody, himself. The convention was a success along the lines of Y. M. C. A. work and the life of camping and living in the open air was especially enjoyed by our men, who stood well to the front in the intercollegiate athletic contests. The convention commenced on June 25 and closed July 5.

### UNION LECTURE COURSE.

The schedule of dates of the Union Lecture course, which has come to be so popular among college men, has been arranged as follows:

Oct. 19, Concert by Salem Cadet Band.  
Nov. 10, Lecture by Hon. W. E. Simonds of Hartford. Subject: Triumphs of Invention.  
Dec. 8, Leland T. Powers, Impersonator, in David Copperfield.  
Jan. 12, Concert by Boston Operetta Co.  
Jan. 26, Lecture by Prof. G. L. Fox of New Haven. Subject: The Great Schools of England.  
Feb. 9, Lecture by President Gates. Subject: The New England Town Meeting.  
Mar. 9, Concert by Tremont Quartette with Mrs. Southwick, Reader.  
Mar. 23, Concert by the Ollie Torbett Concert Co.  
The sale of seats for the course will be held Oct. 13.

### ATHLETIC BOARD MEETING.

A meeting of the Athletic Board was held at the Gymnasium Wednesday noon. The members of the board present were Dr. Hitchcock, president; Prof. E. L. Wood, treasurer; Prof. G. D. Olds, secretary; Prof. H. B. Richardson of the faculty; F. B. Pratt '87; C. W. Merriam, football manager; F. Q. Blanchard, athletic manager and F. W. Fosdick, baseball manager. Various reports were read and received. A general discussion then followed in regard to the funds of the different athletic departments. Manager Merriam was given authority to raise the sum of \$1,000 to meet the expenses of the football team this season. The report of last year's baseball manager was received, a copy of which appears below. The report of last year's athletic association was not forthcoming. John L. Kemmerer '93, of New York, was elected a member of the board in place of A. P. Alvord '87, whose term of office had expired. The baseball report was as follows:

#### SEASON OF 1896-97.

##### RECEIPTS.

Season tickets,	\$ 570 00
Score cards,	75 00
Guarantees,	
Wesleyan,	\$ 50 00
Holy Cross,	60 00
Harvard,	50 00
Yale,	100 00
Brown,	90 00
Y. M. C. A.,	3 36
	<hr/> 353 36
Games,	
Class games,	30 75
Central Park series,	23 50
Yale,	81 25
Williams,	305 00
Bowdoin,	21 75

Dartmouth,	103 75
"	245 45
Cuban Giants,	7 00
Harvard,	97 95
Wesleyan,	23 75
Holy Cross,	30 25
Williams,	284 85
	<hr/> 1255 25

Total receipts, 2253 61

##### EXPENSES.

Games,	
Class games,	7 75
Central Park series,	155 00
Yale,	116 50
Williams,	4 50
Trinity,	20 00
Bowdoin,	101 50
Dartmouth,	3 00
"	4 50
Cuban Giants,	66 00
Harvard,	103 00
Wesleyan,	51 50
Holy Cross,	61 50
Williams,	4 50
Gate-keeper, ticket-agent, and bill poster,	23 00
	<hr/> 722 25
Trips,	
Wesleyan,	56 94
Holy Cross,	47 05
Harvard,	90 70
Yale,	73 82
Williams,	111 13
Dartmouth,	166 74
Brown,	97 68
Y. M. C. A.,	2 80
Williams,	66 91
	<hr/> 713 77
Coaches,	
D. W. Daub,	55 00
R. A. Thomas,	165 51
	<hr/> 220 51
Supplies,	
Wright & Ditson,	348 20
A. G. Spaulding,	19 10
M. N. Spear,	6 00
	<hr/> 373 30
Dues,	
League,	85 00
Special fund,	60 00
	<hr/> 145 00
F. D. Newport, (Trainer)	170 00
Training table,	249 63
Printing,	28 00
Convention trips,	34 75
Incidentals,	
Repairs,	1 00
Livery,	4 00
Stationery and postage,	11 59
Telegrams,	5 84
Express,	10 95
Henry Adams, (drugs)	9 28
Advertising games,	4 60
Whipple & Glazier, (wood)	1 75
Dr. Branch, (Medical services)	16 00
	<hr/> 65 01
Total expenses,	\$2722 21
Expenses,	2722 21
Receipts,	2253 61
	<hr/> Balance loss, 468 60
Submitted Sept. 23, 1897,	
C. A. MERRILL, Mgr.	



## AMHERST COLLEGE ATHLETIC BOARD.

*Treasurer's Report, September, 1897.*

Cash on hand Oct. 7, 1896,	\$2482 99	
Receipts to date,	6271 01	
	8754 00	
Expenditures to date,	6751 23	\$2002 77
ASSETS.		
Savings Bank,	2000 00	
National Bank,	2 77	
Total,		2002 77
DISTRIBUTION.		
Cr.		
Baseball permanent fund,	2000 00	
Football association,	12 36	
General expense account,	148 70	
	2161 06	
Dr.		
Athletic association,	158 29	
Balance,		2002 77
Respectfully submitted,		
E. L. WOOD, Treasurer.		
Amherst, Mass., Sept. 29, 1897.		
C. H. EDWARDS, Auditor.		

## IN MEMORIAM.

In the death of Robert W. Goodell, for more than seven years president of the class of '92 we mourn the loss of an earnest student, a warm sympathizing friend, whose genuine character and strict fidelity to truth and duty has given to him a lasting place in our hearts.

His continued fight for life for five years in no wise disheartened his courageous soul, but his light shone more brightly as his strength failed. We desire to express to those nearest him our deepest sympathy.

JAMES S. COBB,  
GEORGE H. LOUNSBURY, } For the class.  
ROBERT L. WILLISTON. }

AMHERST CHAPTER OF ALPHA DELTA PHI.  
Sept. 29, 1897.

Whereas, in the death of Robert W. Goodell of the class of '92 this fraternity has lost a loyal brother, and

Whereas, by his courageous life he set a true pattern of manhood for all those with whom he came in close contact,

Resolved, that we express hereby our sense of personal loss and that we extend to his family our deep sympathy.

For the chapter { F. M. ALLAN,  
H. C. GODDARD,  
H. K. W. KELLOGG.

## ALUMNI NOTES.

'36.—Judge Lemuel N. Baldwin, of Port Gibson, Miss., died July 16.

## FORTY-SIX.

The Rev. William Gardner Tuttle of Worcester died in that city on Aug. 5 aged 78 years. The Rev. Mr. Tuttle was born in Littleton Sept. 25, 1819 and lived in that town until he was ordained to the ministry, receiving his early education at Groton

Academy. He graduated from Phillips Andover in 1842 and from Amherst in 1846. He received his theological training at Andover Theological Seminary, graduating with the class of 1849. He leaves a widow and two children, Miss Harriet Wallace Tuttle, during ten years a member of the faculty of Wellesley College and Edward Gerry Tuttle, a physician and surgeon in New York city.

## FIFTY-NINE.

The Rev. Thomas Mason Boss, a native of New London, Conn., died July 30. at Leavenworth, Kan., where until a year ago he had been for a long time pastor of the Congregational church. He was graduated from Amherst in the class of '59, and later from Andover Theological Seminary. He was a classmate of the late General Francis Walker and of the late Rev. Malcolm McGregor Dana. His first charge was as an assistant pastor of the Second Congregational church, Norwich, Conn., where he remained a year, when, in 1864, the Rev. Dr. Dana, his classmate succeeded him. Later he was located at Lyons, Ia., Putnam, Conn., Springfield, Vt., La Crosse, Wis., and Leavenworth, Kan. He is survived by his wife and four children. Interment was at New London.

Rev. Dr. Malcolm McGregor Dana died in Brooklyn, N. Y., July 25, after a long illness. He was born in Brooklyn in 1837, was graduated from Amherst in 1857, and four years later graduated from the Union Theological Seminary. His ministerial career began at Winsted, Conn. A short time afterwards he was ordained pastor of the Second Congregational church at Norwich, Conn., where he ministered until 1874. In 1874 he, with 105 others, separated and founded the Park Congregational church in the same city, of which he was pastor until 1878. On account of his wife's ill health Dr. Dana then located in St. Paul, Minn., and there became pastor of the Plymouth Congregational church. During his ministry in that city six branch churches were established. For several years he was vice-president of the Minnesota State board of charities and corrections, and while holding this position made a trip to England to inspect the British prison system. Twice he was elected chaplain of the Minnesota State legislature, and for seven years was chaplain of the Minnesota Congregational Board of Missions. He was also a founder of the Congregational club of Minnesota. In 1888 Dr. Dana returned east and was installed as

pastor of the Kirk Street church, Lowell. On account of poor health he left the ministry in 1897 and returned to his native city. Not only did Dr. Dana achieve prominence in the ministry, but also along literary lines. At one time he was editor of *Advance*, and many able sermons of his have been published. He also wrote a history of Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., of which he was a trustee. In late years he spent much time in temperance reform and sociological study. He was twice married, and leaves two sons and a daughter by his first wife.

## SIXTY-ONE.

Hon. Elliot Sandford has recently presented a parsonage to the church in Raynham, Mass., of which his father was for many years pastor. It is also his intention to erect a building for a free public library in the same village.

It is gratifying to learn of the success of William Hardcastle Browne, whose publications both in literature and law, have won national reputation. Among his literary works are "Heart Throbs of Gifted Authors," "Bible Heroes," "Famous Women of History." He also has in preparation "Waverly Novels Condensed" in which the 30 novels of Scott are condensed into four volumes, the entire plot of each narrative being retained in the language of the novelist, with the elimination of the Scotch phrases and the abridgement of descriptions of scenery.

'64.—John A. Deady of New York died at Pittsfield, Aug. 6, after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Deady was a native of New York city, a graduate of Amherst College and of the Columbia Law school. In 1870 the law firm of Deady & Goodrich was organized with offices at 59 Wall St., and it became one of the best known firms of admiralty lawyers in the metropolis. Mr. Deady was 55 years old. He never married, and is survived by a brother, William Deady of New York, and by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Deady of Springfield.

## SIXTY-FIVE.

Z. Sidney Sampson, a prominent man in New York and Brooklyn, died at the latter place July 30. He was born at New Bedford, where he prepared for college, while Ralph Waldo Emerson was principal of the high school. He joined the Third Massachusetts Volunteers during the war and afterwards took up the practice of law in New York city. He was president of the Brooklyn association of lawyers for many years.

Rev. D. O. Mears D. D., of Albany, N. Y. and his brother Professor Mears '74, of Williams College, have recently returned from an extended tour through Belgium, Germany, Switzerland and France.

'69.—Daniel G. Thompson, Esq., of New York city, died July 10.

'70.—The American Book Company has just published a practical elementary book on Physics by Charles L. Harrington, M. A. The book is designed for experiment and the noting of results by students. The text and experiments are based on the requirements for admission to Harvard and Columbia Universities.

'74.—Isaac N. Mills is now judge of the county court of Westchester County, New York.

'75.—The last catalogue of Oahn College, Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, gives the name of Frank A. Hosmer, A. M., president and professor of mental and moral science, and Arthur B. Ingalls '90, professor of chemistry and natural sciences, and Rev. Frank W. Damon '73, as a member of the board of trustees.

'76.—Frank L. Greene, the principal of public schools, Nos. 9, 4 and 111, near the main entrance to Prospect Park, Brooklyn and who has under his supervision 72 teachers and 3,200 pupils, served as president of the Seventh Day Baptist General Conference held at Salem, W. Va., last August.

'77.—Hon. Geo. H. Utter of the Westerly, R. I. *Daily Sun* has recently contracted for a Cottrell Rotary Web Perfecting Press capable of turning out 10,000 finished copies of *The Sun* per hour.

'79.—Prof. William J. Seelye of Wooster University, Ohio, who has been traveling during the summer in Germany, Italy and Switzerland, arrived in New York on the Friesland.

#### EIGHTY.

George P. Lawrence of North Adams is prominently mentioned as a popular candidate for congressman from the first Massachusetts congressional district.

Rev. Herman P. Fisher, pastor of the First Congregational church of Crookston, Minn. visited Amherst and the Summer School during August.

'81.—Rev. Henry G. Smith was appointed last year professor of Systematic Theology in Lane University, Cincinnati, Ohio, and after a period of study in Germany has entered upon his duties.

'84.—Rev. D. L. Gifford, a missionary for eight years of the Presbyterian Board in Korea, has recently returned to this country for rest and the recuperation of his health.

'87.—Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y. of which F. B. Pratt is secretary opened Sept. 27.

#### EIGHTY-NINE.

C. D. Phelps is practicing medicine in New Haven.

Jesse Mather Watkins and Miss Katharine Fullerton Stillwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stillwell of Lake View, Ill., are to be married in the First Presbyterian church of that place, Tuesday evening, Oct. 5.

Invitations to the marriage of Miss Julia Huntington Lyman, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Henry Munson Lyman, of Chicago, to Rev. William Horace Day, Monday afternoon, Oct. 16, have been received by friends of the couple in Amherst.

Robert W. Crowell spent the summer in traveling in Great Britain, Switzerland and Italy and is continuing his studies in Göttingen University a second year.

'90.—A. F. Buck will be connected with the department of Psychology at the University of Chicago for the coming year.

#### NINETY-ONE.

Arthur B. Chapin addressed the Young Men's Republican club of Worcester, on "Municipal Government of Holyoke," Tuesday evening, Sept. 16.

Rev. Arthur Sumner Burrill of Conway, N. H., was married at Newburyport on Wednesday, Sept. 1, to Miss Jennie Sumner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Stevens of Newburyport.

#### NINETY-TWO.

C. G. Gardner has moved to Springfield.

Frederick L. Thompson was married on Monday, Sept. 20, to Miss Etta B. Sanborn, of Whitefield, N. H.

'93.—Prof. Frank S. Blodgett of the Normal school of Oneonta, N. Y., was married Aug. 18 to Miss Helen M. Wilcox. Only a limited number of friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Blodgett will reside in Oneonta.

#### NINETY-FOUR.

The officers of the class are; President, Alfred E. Stearns; vice-president, Grosvenor H. Backus; secretary, Henry E. Whitcomb; treasurer, Charles P. Emerson. The poet for the reunion in '99 is Howard I. Ford, and the historian, Austin Rice.

A son, Henry Dawling Whitcomb was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Whitcomb of Worcester, June 22.

Henry E. Whitcomb is president of the Young Men's Republican club of Worcester.

Rev. Austin Rice has received a call to the pastorate of the First Congregational Church in Forest Grove, Oregon.

#### NINETY-FIVE.

H. O. White is in charge of Norcross Bros. Office Buildings, Cleveland, Ohio.

E. W. Hardy has been elected treasurer of the proposed Amherst-Northampton Electric Road. Mr. Hardy was admitted to the Hampshire Bar in June and is in partnership with R. W. Irwin, Northampton.

H. D. French has left Chicago University and is to enter Yale Theological Seminary.

R. P. Nichols enters the College of Physicians and Surgeons, this fall.

J. C. Coolidge has been admitted to the Massachusetts bar.

#### NINETY-SIX.

Will all members of Ninety-Six who intend to be in or near New York city this winter please send their names and addresses at once to W. S. Thompson, 93 Fifth Ave., New York city.

J. A. Rockwood has just been promoted to a full professorship in the Portland Academy at Portland, Oregon.

J. T. Pratt and F. E. Harkness are studying law at the Harvard Law school.

E. C. Witherby is in business with the Solway Process Co., Syracuse, N. Y.

F. A. Watkins is sporting editor of *Travel* in Chicago.

The marriage of Burt L. York, Jr. to Miss Clara Belle Olney took place July 27, at the home of the bride in Putnam, Conn.

#### NINETY-SEVEN.

Austin B. Keep of Norwich acted as special correspondent for several New York newspapers at Block Island during the past summer.

A. C. Parsons is in the office of the chemist of the Pennsylvania & Reading R. R. Co. at Reading, Pa.

E. DeF. Holt is teaching in Faïrebault, Minn.

H. M. Moses is teaching Physics in the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

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'78.—Dr. Herbert S. Johnson of Lawrenceville, N. J., was married at Lowell on Wednesday, Aug. 18, to Miss Hattie A. Currier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson of Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home in Lawrenceville after Oct. 1.

EIGHTY-FOUR.

J. P. Loftus is now contributing weekly articles descriptive of the Ni Wot gold mine in Colorado, to the *Mining World*, a western mining journal.

Prof. James H. Tufts was in town this week.

'89.—At the annual flower parade held at Colorado Springs in August, in which Amherst, Brown, Lehigh, Princeton and Yale colleges competed for the prize for the best floral exhibit, the first prize was awarded to the Amherst exhibit of purple and white flowers. The carriage upon which the exhibit was arranged was under the charge of Mr. Clarence Edsall, who with his family rode in the parade. A picture of the carriage, as it was in the parade, with Mr. Edsall and family and Mr. J. S. Hunt '87, have been placed in the Resort.

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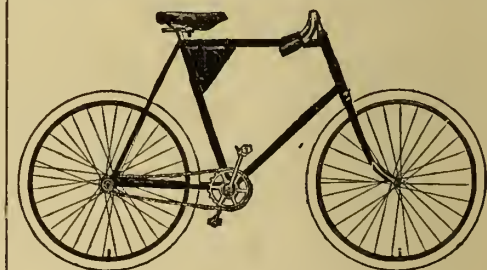
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

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## PRATT COTTAGE.

Amherst College has long felt the need of an infirmary or home where students, who are taken suddenly ill or are severely injured and are unable to reach their homes without great suffering or danger, may receive the best of medical care and nursing. This want has at last been met through the generosity of loyal alumni who have shown their regard and affection for their *Alma Mater* by the donation to the College of Pratt Cottage. This building and its appurtenances, with a liberal endowment for the maintenance of the plant, is the generous and free gift of George D. Pratt '93, Herbert L. Pratt '95, and John T. Pratt '96 all of Brooklyn, N. Y. The idea of the donors is to furnish a home where a student or member of the faculty or of their families, who is sick for a long or short period, may go at any hour of the day or night and find a matron and a nurse, a room and a bed where he can be received and as soon as desired, be placed under the charge of any physician agreed upon by himself and the matron. Any overworked professor or student, who needs perfect rest and quiet for a day or two, may also find a home and a mother to care for him.

The location of the cottage could not be better in Amherst. Situated on an eminence half a mile from the center of the town, it commands a splendid view of the surrounding hills and mountains. The house is a three story wooden building, 34 x 45 feet, made in the colonial style, with Grecian trimmings, the first stories being decorated with Doric columns, while those of the third are of the Ionic order. At the front is a semi-circular porch opening through a small vestibule into a roomy hall on the first floor. On either side of the hall are large rooms, about 17 x 15 feet; the room at the right is used as the dining room and has a commodious kitchen and pantry behind it. The dining room is neatly and richly furnished with oak furniture upholstered in dark leather, and there is a beautiful sideboard in which is a complete silver service for use in the wards. At the left of the hall is the sitting room, and behind that a room and office for the matron. In the office is a telephone which connects the cottage with the outside world. A circular stairway leads to the second floor. With the exception of this stairway and the halls, which are quartered oak, the entire house is finished in ash. On the second floor, around a large central hallway, are

five ward rooms, each about 11 x 14 1-2 feet, an operating room and a nurse room with several baths. The ward rooms are neatly furnished with hospital beds, rugs and other furniture to make them neat and attractive. The most interesting feature of the building is the third floor, designed only for the treatment of contagious diseases. It is built in three suites, having no means of access to each other except by the balcony which surrounds the entire upper story. Each suite contains a ward, nurse room, bath and dietary kitchen, and opens through the nurse room into the balcony. The floors of all the rooms in this story, as also of the operating room, are of concrete and are so constructed that they can be flooded to the depth of an inch and a half. This story can only be reached by stairs on the outside of the building, at the rear; these stairs can also be used as a fire escape. Another feature is the absence of square corners between walls and ceilings, for the purpose of making the house as sanitary as possible.

The house is lighted throughout with gas and electric lights, and an ample supply of sunlight has been provided for by the large windows. It is heated and ventilated by the best means that architectural skill and experience can supply. From the cellar to the contagious quarters, the appointments of the house are complete in every detail. Nothing, which could possibly make life more cheerful and comfortable for the sick, has been omitted. Large rugs cover the finely polished floors of the halls and reception room, and smaller rugs are used in the ward rooms. The greater part of the furniture is of polished oak and the bedsteads are all of iron, white enamelled, with brass trimmings. In nearly all of the rooms are large fireplaces which will aid greatly in the ventilation.

The architect of the building is Mr. William B. Tubby, who also designed the grand stand at Pratt Field, and the builders are Allen Bros., of Amherst. Architect and builders both have reason to be proud of the result of their thought and labor. The matron, Mrs. E. F. Bennett of Winchester, is a mother trained in the discipline of family life and the experience in public institutions similar to this. She formerly occupied a position similar to this at Adams Academy, Quincy. The cottage is to be under a board of control consisting of Mr. George D. Pratt, president; Dr. Edward Hitchcock, secretary; Mrs. H. H. Neill, Mrs. George D. Olds, Prof. A. L. Kimball and Dr. Paul C. Phillips.

Sickness and accident ever mean pecuniary expense and some personal hardship, but the donors of the cottage have expressly provided that no student shall be deprived of its advantages on account of expense. All who enter its doors for treatment will be entitled to the same tender care, regardless of their ability to pay the cost of such care. There are also two beds provided, one by Mr. E. K. Alden '80, executor of the estate of the late Rev. E. Alden who was a graduate, instructor and trustee of Amherst College. The other is given by a daughter of an eminent graduate and professor of the College, whose name will be withheld for a time. The living expenses at the cottage are one dollar per day and those who are able are expected to pay this amount. The privileges of the cottage are also offered to the students of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, though under different conditions.

Pratt Cottage is the third large gift to the College by the Pratt family, and the College owes much to their generosity, especially their generosity toward the department of Physical Education. Mr. Charles M. Pratt '79 was the chief donor of the Gymnasium which was built in 1884, and in 1890, his brother, Mr. Frederic B. Pratt '87, gave the athletic field and grand stand, at a cost of about \$20,000.

## FOOTBALL.

AMHERST, 0; YALE, 18.

Although Amherst was defeated on Wednesday at New Haven by a score of 18 to 0, the score in no way shows the merits of the Amherst team. They held Yale's heavy line in a wonderful manner, especially W. C. Dudley, who at times made openings between Cadwalader and Post, Yale's heavy linesmen. Ballantine's and Howard's work at end was worthy of especial notice. The backs played a quick, sharp game and by their terrific bucking made up for the rather light line. Kendall was the life of the team and as was expected made some wonderful gains. At one time he made several yards with two Yale men on his back. For Yale the work of Corwin, Connor and Cadwalader was the most noteworthy. In the second half large gains were made by the center play, the full back carrying the ball.

Amherst lined up with the ball and in possession of north goal. Griffin kicked off to the 30 yard line. The ball was brought back seven yards by McBride. Then by continual bucking Yale forced the ball to Amherst's 40 yard line, when McBride



punted for 30 yards, and Yale got the ball on Amherst's 10 yard line. From this point McBride made a touchdown. Cadwalader kicked the goal. Score 6 to 0. Time for touchdown, 6 minutes.

Amherst punted 25 yards. McBride brought it back by good dodging 15 yards. Yale punted out of bounds and Amherst received the ball. Amherst then punted 20 yards and got the ball on a fumble of Yale at their 35 yard line. Amherst by splendid bucking of from 3 to 5 yards at a time succeeded in placing the ball on Yale's 20 yard line. Then by an unlucky fumble on the part of Amherst, Yale got the ball and McBride punted for 50 yards. Amherst obtained the ball on their 35 yard line. By a series of rushes a gain of 12 yards was made, and then Griffin punted 25 yards. Yale rushed the ball from the 45 yard line into Amherst's territory from 10 to 12 yards at every play. McBride again plunged through the center for 7 yards and made a touchdown. Cadwalader kicked a goal. Score, 12 to 0. Time, 12 minutes. The ball remained in the middle of the field until time was called at the end of first half. In the second half Griffin returned the ball after the kick off to the middle of the field. Amherst again tried bucking and Griffin punted 30 yards on the third down. Yale bucked for four yards and Connor was hurt in the scrimmage. Eddy took his place. For the next ten minutes the ball remained in the middle of the field. Then Yale by a long run forced the ball to Amherst's two yard line and Morgan scored a touch down. Cadwalader kicked the goal. Score 18 to 0. Time, 14 minutes.

Griffin kicked off 25 yards and Sullivan by a plucky run carried it back for 15 yards. Yale began end rushes but time was called with the ball in the middle of the field. The line up was as follows:

AMHERST.	YALE.
Winslow, c.	c. McFarland
W. C. Dudley, r. g.	r. g. Cadwalader
Elam, r. t.	r. t. { Allen Deuston
Howard, r. e.	r. e. { Connor Eddy
Walker, l. g.	l. g. Brown
F. C. Dudley, l. t.	l. t. Post
Ballantine, l. e.	l. e. { Dudley Hall
Pratt, q. b.	q. b. { DeSaulles Dulteran
Whitney, r. h.	r. h. { Gilmore Archencroft
Godfrey, r. h.	r. h. { Morgan Kiefer
Kendall, l. h.	l. h. { Corwin McBride
Griffin, f. b.	f. b. McBride
First half, 20 min. Second half, 15 min.	

#### CRITICISM OF THE TEAM.

Much to the gratification of the student body and those directly interested in the success of the football team, a marked improvement in the work on Pratt Field has been noticeable the past week. The candidates are now playing with much more snap and interest than was apparent before the opening game with M. A. C. Thus far the aggressive work has been much better than the defensive. Hard and faithful practice, however, together with a strong second eleven to buck up against, have tended to strengthen to a certain degree, the defensive work of the 'varsity. The new method of coaching, as introduced by Coach Tyler, has met with general approval. No heavy practice has been attempted thus early in the season and as a result the injuries have been fewer this fall than at the same time last year. To insure the formation of a good team, it is necessary to have a stronger second eleven. Both the captain and manager of the team are in favor of having the second eleven elect a captain and arrange a short schedule of games with the neighboring high school and Y. M. C. A. teams. Coach Tyler would like to see on the field those members of the College who have had experience in football playing but on account of deficiencies in studies cannot play on the first team. Their work on the second eleven would materially aid in producing a team that will compare favorably with those of former seasons. Howard and Ballantine at the ends are playing a good game of interference. Elam puts up a strong game at tackle and Dudley 1900, although rather light for a line man, is a promising candidate for the other tackle. Dudley 1901, who recently entered College, is playing well and promises to be one of the best men in the line. His work thus far at guard has been very creditable. Walker at left guard is playing a more steady game than he did last year. Winslow at center, and Pratt at quarterback, are both promising men, but as yet are uncertain at times. The backs, Kendall and Whitney, are hard workers, and with good blocking may be relied upon to gain much ground. Griffin bucks the line well, but is weak in punting. Both Godfrey and Smith, substitute backs, are hampered by their lightness of weight but show much pluck in their play. Alden Clark as substitute end and Lewis as substitute tackle or guard are still uncertain players. One or two more candidates for quarterback are especially needed as Pratt is the only candidate now.

#### GAMES NEXT WEEK.

Amherst plays Harvard at Cambridge next week Wednesday and M. I. T. on Pratt Field next Saturday. We did not play Harvard last year but in 1895 the score was 24 to 0 in favor of Harvard. Harvard's team is an unusually heavy one this year especially in the line. Amherst's good showing against Yale last Wednesday leads us to believe that our men will be able to hold Harvard down to the '95 score at least.

The game with M. I. T. next Saturday, judging from previous games, will be a victory for Amherst. In 1895 the score of the game with M. I. T. was 20 to 4 in favor of Amherst. No game was played with M. I. T. last year.

#### OUR RIVALS.

The supporters of the green are highly pleased over the good showing made by the Dartmouth team against Exeter last Saturday. At no time was Dartmouth's goal in danger, the ball being inside her 25 yard line but once, when placed there by a punt. Although the halves were only fifteen and ten minutes in length, Dartmouth easily scored 34 points to Exeter 0. The creditable playing of the new men in the line was most gratifying to the Dartmouth adherents. Putnam has returned to college and he played his old position at left tackle. Dartmouth plays Harvard to-day at Cambridge.

Williams suffered defeat at the hands of Harvard last Saturday, by a score of 20 to 0. Although it is generally acknowledged that Harvard has a much stronger team than she had last fall, the great difference in the score was not entirely due to Harvard's increase in strength. Williams a year ago succeeded in holding the Harvard eleven down to a single goal, and was credited with gaining as much ground as Harvard. In Saturday's game Williams was compelled to act upon the defensive and only once did the purple succeed in obtaining the ball on four downs. Harvard made good gains through Williams' line, and the only place Williams seemed able to block effectually was at center. Both teams fumbled the ball a great deal. Of the Williams men, Lotz at right guard, Chadwell at left end and Draper at left half back, excelled. To-day Williams plays Yale at New Haven.

#### FOOTBALL NOTES.

The football training table began Tuesday night at the Amherst House with the following men: Captain Arter, Howard, Elam, Walker, '98; Griffin, Kendall, Wins-



low, Whitney, '99; Dudley, Pratt, 1900; Ballantine, W. C. Dudley, Godfrey, 1901.

Bowdoin was defeated by Bates Oct. 2, for the first time in the history of football by the score of 10 to 6. Captain Pulsifer of Bates did by far the best work, making a phenomenal run for a touchdown.

The football rules remain substantially the same as last year. While there are some few changes in view of making the game less rough, they are of such a nature that much the same interpretation can be placed upon them as before.

The Holy Cross team which comes here to-day will doubtless give us a good game. They do not bring as heavy men as some teams which we are to meet but there will be an opportunity for Amherst men to see their team pitted against a team of about equal weight and enthusiastic support will surely bring us a victory.

### CLASS BASEBALL.

1901, 7; 1900, 6.

The Freshmen defeated the Sophomores on Pratt Field last Saturday afternoon in an interesting seven inning game by the score of 7 to 6. Both sides played well, the Sophomores putting up the better fielding game, while the Freshmen excelled at the bat. Thompson struck out eight men, Davis but four; however the hits made off the latter were feeble and easy to handle. The Freshmen's ability to bunch their hits, together with their opponent's errors at critical points won them the game. Although it was known that the Freshmen had some good material, it was not expected that they would defeat the Sophomores who have an unusually strong team.

Neither side scored for two innings, and two men were out in the last half of the third when Stevens opened the fun for 1901 with a single. Fisher followed with a two bagger into right field and both scored on Gladwin's single. Moore singled and advanced Gladwin to second. Rushmore was next to bat, and reached first on a single, Gladwin scoring but Moore being caught at home plate. The Sophomores were unable to score in their half of the next inning, while the Freshmen, by a dead ball, two singles and an error, had no difficulty in scoring two more runs. The score now stood 1901, 5; 1900, 0; but the Sophomores tied the score in the next inning by a base on balls, two singles, and costly errors by the Freshmen. In the first half of the seventh inning, 1900 made one run on a two bagger, a

stolen base, and a pretty sacrifice by Righter who brought Holman in. 1901 came to bat for the last time and made two runs on a single, a stolen base and a couple of errors, thus winning the game. Thompson made a pretty double play in the second inning, taking a hot liner from Rushmore's bat and catching Moore at first. The score:

FRESHMEN.						
	A	B	R	B	P	O
Stevens, r f	4	1	0	0	0	0
Fisher, 3b	4	1	2	0	0	0
Gladwin, 1b	4	2	2	1	0	0
Moore, 2b	4	1	1	2	4	1
Rushmore, s s	4	0	0	0	1	1
Royse, c f	2	1	0	0	0	1
Roden, 1 f	3	1	1	0	0	0
Couch, c	3	0	1	8	2	1
Davis, p	3	0	0	0	2	1
Totals,	31	7	7	21	9	5
SOPHOMORES.						
	A	B	R	B	P	O
Holman, s s	4	2	0	0	1	1
Righter, 2b	4	1	0	0	0	1
Watson, 1b	4	1	1	8	0	0
Thompson, p	3	0	1	1	2	0
Crapo, 3b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Fichtner, c f	3	0	0	0	0	0
Spining, c	2	1	0	8	0	1
Wheeler, r f	3	0	0	2	1	0
Franklin, 1 f	3	1	0	0	0	0
Totals,	29	6	2	19	5	3
Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6
Freshmen,	0	0	3	2	0	2-7
Sophomores,	0	0	0	0	5	0 1-6

Earned run—Freshmen 1, Two-base hits—Holman, Fisher 2. Stolen bases—Freshmen 3, Sophomores 2. Double play—Thompson and Watson. Base on balls—off Davis 1. Hit by pitched ball—Moore 2, Royse 2. Struck out—by Thompson 8, by Davis 4. Passed ball—Spining. Time—1 h., 30 m. Umpires. Whitney and Johnston.

### JUNIOR-FRESHMEN GAME.

The decisive game of the class series between the Juniors and the Freshmen will probably be played on Pratt Field next Monday afternoon. The make up of the two nines will probably be as follows:

JUNIOR.		FRESHMEN.	
Whitney,	c.,	Couch,	
Griffin,	p.,	Davis,	
Rosa,	1 b.,	Gladwin,	
Messenger,	2 b.,	Moore,	
DeWitt,	3 b.,	Fisher,	
Russell,	s. s.,	Rushmore,	
Tinker,	c. f.,	Royse,	
Kendall,	r. f.,	Kretschmar,	
Foster,	1. f.,	Roden.	

### GIFT TO AMHERST.

Mr. R. T. Wilder, of Wellesley Hills, who died during the past summer, left in his will \$15,000, to be used for the purchase of a site for an astronomical observatory.

### THE FAYERWEATHER CASE.

Of Amherst's share of the Fayerweather estate, \$85,000 has been paid into the treasurer's hands this summer and has been invested for the College. \$50,000 more is to come to Amherst early next year from this estate. This is the result of litigation which has been prolonged by the executors and heirs through the last six years. As the contest for the rights of the 20 colleges

named in the original will was first taken up by Amherst, the friends of Amherst may congratulate themselves upon the result, for the other Colleges and for themselves.

### FOOTBALL SCORES.

Oct. 2.—Harvard 20—Williams 0.  
Yale 30—Wesleyan 0.  
M. A. C. 10—N. H. State College 4.  
West Point 33—Trinity 6.  
Dartmouth 34—Exeter 0.  
Brown 24—Tufts 0.  
Cornell 16—Syracuse University 0.  
U. of P. 33—Bucknell 0.  
Princeton 43—Lehigh 0.  
Bates 10—Bowdoin 6.  
Gardner 6—Holy Cross 0.

### GOLF CLUB.

At the fall meeting of the Golf club, the following officers were elected: President, Clement F. Merrill, New York city; vice-president, Joseph W. Barr, Oil City, Pa.; secretary, Lewis C. Merrell, Syracuse, N. Y.; treasurer, William F. Merrill, Portland, Me. Six new members were admitted to the club. The golf links have been put in condition this past week, and the annual tournament will be started the latter part of next week. This club is now well established in College, but the officers are desirous to enroll as many new members as possible.

### BANJO CLUB.

The following men are practicing on the Banjo club: Banjeaurines—Henderson and Cobb '99, Brown and Righter 1900; guitars Sharp, Brooks and Messenger '99, Crannell 1900 and Merrell 1901; banjos—Walker '98 and Sinclair 1900; mandola—Lewis 1900. Orvis '99, will probably play the banjo when he returns to College. The club has not been selected as yet, and it is not probable that any final choice will be made for some time to come.

### SOPHOMORE ELECTION.

The sophomore class held a meeting Saturday evening, Oct. 2, and elected the following officers:

President—Alden H. Clark, New York, N. Y.  
Vice-president—Ralph H. Nevins, Easthampton.  
Secretary—Albert L. Halford, Ludlow.  
Treasurer—Harry I. Pratt, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Football director—Henry K. Robinson, Worcester.  
Baseball director—Albert L. Watson, Scranton, Pa.  
Tennis director—Clifford M. Crapo, Burlington, Ia.  
Gym captain—Wm. T. Gamage, Gloucester.  
Vice gym captain—A. B. Franklin, Melrose.  
Leader of class-cheering—  
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THE STUDENT desires to say a word to the members of the College in regard to giving their trade to those dealers who advertise with us. The one department of THE STUDENT upon which its maintenance depends is its advertising and these columns cannot be filled from year to year unless the merchants receive a benefit from their advertising. More than liberal support has been accorded us this year by those soliciting the trade of the College and in return the College should support these advertisers. In the advertising columns will be found the names of the best firms and the best places to trade. THE STUDENT guarantees them all as being thoroughly reliable and bespeaks for them the trade of the College.

WITH the rapid stride which golf has made in the favor of the outside world, it seems but fitting that Amherst should be well represented in a branch of athletics which has become so popular all over the country. All the large colleges have flourishing golf associations with teams which represent the college in intercollegiate tournaments and Amherst cannot afford to fall behind in this or any other branch of athletics. With the purpose of awakening interest in the game the Golf club was organized two years ago

with a considerable membership. Of the original members but few now remain in College and new men are needed. The links are being repaired and will soon be in excellent condition for playing and it is earnestly requested that all who play golf or wish to learn to play will join the club at once.

THE advent of a Y. M. C. A. secretary in College and the establishing of a permanent Sunday evening meeting at the association room calls attention to the present condition of the class prayer meetings. Would it not be wise on the part of the two upper classes at least, to entirely discontinue their class prayer meetings now that the Y. M. C. A. meeting has been established? It is certainly true that for the past few years the meetings of the two upper classes have not been well attended and at present they are in anything but a flourishing condition. We believe that this is not due to a lack of Christian spirit in the classes but that it is the natural result of a day over-crowded with religious services. One thing is certain, either the class prayer meeting or the Vesper service will have to be sacrificed in the near future if the success of the Y. M. C. A. meeting is to be assured. With the two lower classes perhaps nothing can fill the place of the class prayer meetings but as for the upper classes whose meetings are not in a flourishing condition, the time has now come to recognize in the Y. M. C. A. meeting and the college secretary the advent of a new era in the Christian life of the College.

IT is a deplorable fact that so many men who are good football players are back in their studies and therefore unable to play this fall. At the beginning of the year Amherst's football prospects were rather poor but after three weeks of hard training Coach Tyler has developed what is, to say the least, a very creditable aggregation of players and after one or two weak places in the line have been strengthened, a team which ought to land at least in second place in the triangular championship series. Yet the fact remains that if a team could be selected from all the men in College its strength would be greatly increased. However it may be too late in the season to remedy this evil but after last Saturday's exhibition in the inter-class baseball series we do wish to call the attention of those who took part, to the necessity of keeping up to the required standard in their studies. With such material as was brought out in that

game there is no reason why Amherst should not have a championship baseball team next spring. We hope that the men in College who have played ball in their preparatory schools and on class teams will bear in mind that there are several vacant positions on the varsity baseball team and also that the faculty regulations concerning the eligibility of a student for college teams is rigidly enforced.

A FEATURE of the annual cider meet which will gain more and more prominence with each year is the relay race between teams representing the four classes. Though such a contest first appeared on the list of cider meet events last fall, there can be no doubt that the race will become a permanent feature for years to come. Relay racing is a form of track athletics which is rapidly gaining in popularity throughout the college world and up to the present Amherst has had remarkable success in this line. The Ninety-Seven relay team with its brilliant list of well earned victories has established a standard which it should be the earnest effort of the College to maintain in future years, and the annual fall meet ought to be the means of bringing out material from which a winning team can be developed later in the year. The interest in this annual event, the preparation for it and consequently the benefit to be gained from it would, we have no doubt, be materially increased if there were offered some stronger stimulus to class rivalry than the mere unadorned and almost unrecorded glory of having been first at the finish. If a banner, a cup or some other trophy on which could be inscribed the names of winning classes, were presented, we believe that as the fruits of victory took a more tangible shape, competition for the trophy would grow more and more intense, and the athletic interests of the College would receive a corresponding stimulus. Will not some generous alumnus or other friend of the College come to the front with a suitable trophy?

LEST our failure to comment on certain matters which have come to our notice during the past week be construed as approval on our part, we state again what has been stated repeatedly in these columns as the attitude of the College in reference to the methods employed in class warfare. After all that has been said in the last two years about the use of the flagpole as a place to hang class banners and other marks of class ingenuity it would seem as if men who had



been in College during that time would have sense enough to desist from using the pole for such purposes. It appears, however, that the present sophomore class has either forgotten what the wishes of the College are regarding this matter or are indifferent to those wishes. The flag-pole was bought by the class of Ninety-Six and given to the College in order that the stars and stripes might float from College Hill and for no other purpose, and it is no more to be used for class decorations than the spire on the College Church or the weather-vane on Walker Hall. The article which met the gaze of all who had occasion to be on the college grounds last Friday morning was evidence of a low taste on the part of the Sophomores and instead of exciting admiration for the class, called forth sharp criticism. The Freshmen were wrong in breaking the flagpole but the bulk of the censure for the act rests on the Sophomores who ought to have known better than to use the pole for any such purpose. There are plenty of manly ways of showing class spirit and we hope that in the future no class will feel obliged to resort to such methods as those we have referred to. Let each man remember that class spirit and class honor does not consist in boyish tricks and ungentlemanly acts, but rather has its noblest and truest manifestation in the class room and on the athletic field. The regular fall athletic meet that occurs on Pratt Field next Wednesday will give an opportunity to all enthusiastic class men to show the true spirit, the spirit that is so much to be desired. Every man who has been engaged in the petty trifles of misconceived and misdirected endeavor can at that time show the manly spirit of true sport by lending his support and encouragement to those of his class who may be contestants on track and field. Then his support will be of some practical value and his voice and endeavor will not be spent in vain.

### CALENDAR.

- SATURDAY, Oct. 9.—Football game on Pratt Field. Amherst vs. Holy Cross.
- SUNDAY, Oct. 10.—Preaching in the College Church at 10-45 A. M. by Dr. Reuen Thomas.
- MONDAY, Oct. 11.—Baseball game '99 vs. 1901 for college championship, at Pratt Field.
- WEDNESDAY, Oct. 13.—Football game. Amherst vs. Harvard, at Cambridge.—Annual cider meet.—Close of Entrance Prize Examinations.
- SATURDAY, Oct. 16.—Football game on Pratt Field, Amherst vs. Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

### OFFICIAL NOTICES.

The President will be at his office, No. 9 Walker Hall, from 8-45 to 9-30 A. M. on Wednesdays and Fridays, and from 1-45 to 2-30 P. M. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Dr. Hitchcock and Dr. Phillips will be at their office in the Gymnasium from 8-45 to 11-00 A. M. and from 3-00 to 6-00 P. M. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. The office hours of the Treasurer and of the Registrar will be from 8-45 to 12-00 A. M. and from 2-00 to 4-00 P. M. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

The senior and sophomore class teachers will meet on October 13, November 10, and December 8. The junior and freshman class teachers will meet October 27, November 20 and December 18. Faculty meetings will be held in 9 Walker Hall, the hour of meeting being 2-30 P. M.

#### REGISTRAR.

The competition for assistant manager of the musical association will be held open but one week longer. Any member of the junior class wishing to compete will report at once.

HOWARD W. HARRINGTON, Manager.

There will be a meeting of the Golf club at the Psi Upsilon House this evening at 7-00 o'clock. All men who wish to join the club are requested either to be present or to send their names to the secretary.

L. C. MERRELL '99.

Competitors for the editorial board of THE STUDENT will mark their copy as usual this evening.

J. H. MARRIOTT.

### RELIGIOUS NOTES.

The hour for vespers at the College Church has been changed from 5-00 o'clock to 4-45 so as not to conflict with the class prayer meetings at 5-30 P. M.

There will be a praise service in the Y. M. C. A. room Sunday at 7 P. M. led by F. W. Raymond '99. F. P. Young 1900 will render several solos. All are invited to join in making this an enjoyable and helpful meeting.

The subject for the missionary class in the room of the Y. M. C. A. this evening will be "Strategic Points in Evangelizing the World." No earnest Christian can afford to miss this broad and interesting course of missionary study.

The regular work of the freshman Bible class began last Sunday. President Gates opened with a brief talk on Palestine. Every member of the freshman class should make

it his duty to attend each of these most interesting and instructive talks on the Life of Christ.

Secretary Clark led the Y. M. C. A. meeting last Sunday evening, on the topic, "How can I best serve the interests of Christ during the coming year." Evidently the new secretary will decidedly help the association work and all Christian work in College this year.

Last Thursday night the monthly missionary meeting under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. was held. The subject for the evening was, "The Mission of Amherst College in the World." Directly after the meeting the regular term business meeting was held, and reports were received from the chairmen of the different committees.

#### BIBLE CLASSES.

'98.—Life of Paul. Leader, Secretary Clark. Y. M. C. A. Room.

'99.—Study of Old Testament Characters. Leader, Dr. P. C. Phillips. Latin Room, Williston Hall.

1900.—The Life of Paul. Leader, F. Q. Blanchard '98. College Church.

1901.—The Life of Our Lord. Leader, President Gates. College Church.

#### CLASS PRAYER MEETINGS.

The senior and junior classes will meet together in the Greek recitation room in the Chapel.

1900.—My Bible. Leader, A. J. Sadler. The executive committee of the Y. M. C. A. will hold meetings regularly hereafter on the first Monday evening of each month.

F. K. Dyer '98 has been appointed usher at the College Church.

### IN BRIEF.

H. G. Dwight '98 has returned to College. C. W. Walker '99 is ill with rheumatism. D. B. Trefethen '98 is custodian of Appleton Cabinet.

Smith College will observe Oct. 14 as Mountain Day.

Work in the Biological Laboratory under Mr. Clark began this week.

The first number of the Amherst *Lit* will be published Friday, Oct. 15.

F. W. Raymond '99 has charge of the ringing of the chimes this year.

A. H. Sharp '99 of Brooklyn, N. Y. returned to College last Saturday.

The freshman declamations began last Wednesday under Professor Frink.

Professor Hopkins has moved into his new house on North Pleasant Street.

The junior class will hold its annual election of officers next Monday evening.

Professor Garman gave the Seniors an examination in Psychology last Friday.

W. D. Ballantine 1901, has been appointed assistant monitor of the freshman class.

A club of students who are studying the art of modern book illustrating has been organized.

Mr. E. T. Sawyer who has been a liberal benefactor of Amherst, died in Easthampton this week.

There will be no trials for the Mandolin club until F. B. Orvis '99, the leader, returns to College.

R. V. R. Reynolds '98 has been appointed custodian of the Physical and Chemical Laboratory.

The "Breezy Time" company is to give a performance in the Town Hall next Thursday evening.

Mr. Nelligan will address the Woman's club of the town on "Physical Culture," November 1.

Eleven members of the class of '97 are studying law, six of whom are at the Harvard Law school.

The freshman class succeeded in having a class picture taken last Tuesday morning on the steps of Walker Hall.

The annual convention of the Delta Upsilon fraternity is to be held on Oct. 22 at Amherst and Northampton.

Flichtner '94 played at right guard on the St. Mark's team Saturday, in a game against Newton High school.

Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd opened the season for the Woman's club at Swampscott by a talk Monday afternoon.

President Gates will be one of the speakers at the Teachers' convention to be held in Amherst, Friday, October 15.

The sophomore class in Hebrew has changed its time of meeting from 7-00 to 8-00 o'clock Monday evening.

Professor Sterrett gave a lecture on "Sculpture" to the members of the senior Greek class Wednesday morning.

President Gates was one of the speakers at the dedication of the Y. M. C. A. new building at Norwich, Conn. on Monday.

An examination upon the general subject of Evolution was given to the sophomore Biology division by Professor Tyler, Monday morning.

Assistant Librarian Dickinson with his mother and sister returned from a three months' trip abroad, last Saturday night.

E. G. Locke '99 has left College and will be engaged this winter in Florida looking after the interests of his father's property.

The following men have entered the freshman class during the week: W. C. Dudley, Marlboro; M. L. Farrell, Cortlandt, N. Y.

The meeting of Professor Genung's English Club was postponed on account of Mountain Day until the usual hour Monday evening.

A. W. Grosvenor ex-'97, who for some time has been seriously ill at Millbury with appendicitis and a resultant complication, is rapidly improving.

The lecture on "Trojan Myths" which Professor Sterrett intended to give to his junior class last Saturday, has been postponed indefinitely.

Professor Thompson is making a discus after the model of the one used at the Olympian games. The new discus will be used at the fall meet.

Last evening President Gates delivered the closing address before the New Jersey state convention of Christian Endeavor societies, at Patterson, N. J.

President Gates will make a report upon the work of missions in Turkey, at a meeting of the American Board to be held next Thursday, at New Haven, Conn.

Professor Richardson was one of the speakers at a meeting of the Life Underwriters of Western Massachusetts held in Springfield Friday evening, Oct. 1.

Professor Olds will give an address on, "The History and Teachings of Mathematics," before the Teachers' county convention to be held in Amherst, Oct. 15.

The management of the baseball team expects to obtain the services of Callahan, the pitcher of the Chicago League team, for coaching in the cage during the winter practice.

The new address list, which will give the full addresses and rooms of all the students in College, is in the hands of the printer and will be ready for distribution by the latter part of next week.

The sophomore class at Smith has elected the following officers: President, Miss Groesbeck of Albany, N. Y.; vice-president, Miss King of Syracuse, N. Y.; secretary, Miss Mabie of Summit, N. J.; treasurer, Miss Wilder of Newton.

Librarian Fletcher gave an address on "How the library may be useful to the public schools" before the town and district school superintendents' association in Springfield, Friday, Oct. 8.

A meeting of the College Church was held Thursday evening to ratify the action of the trustees relative to the calling of Rev. Henry P. Smith, D. D. as assistant pastor of the College Church.

Attention is called to the rule prohibiting bicycles to be left in the halls of the dormitories. Wheels must not be left there but taken to the basement of the chapel where a place is provided for them.

The *Outlook* of last week published a tribute to the Rev. Henry Preserved Smith, who is to assume the chair of Biblical Interpretation and is to be the assistant pastor of the College Church.

The official averages of last spring's baseball team will arrive shortly and will appear in next week's issue.

The election of the assistant baseball manager for next year will take place after Chapel, Thursday, Oct. 14.

The following alumni have been in town during the past week; M. D. Dunning '96, F. A. Lombard '96, G. R. Bliss '96, H. L. Barker '96, H. D. Tyler '96, J. W. Woodworth '96, and E. L. Foster '97.

The regular class gymnasium work will begin on Oct. 14, on the day following the athletic meet. Excuses for physical disability or recitation interference should be presented to Dr. Phillips before Oct. 13.

The members of the junior class in Physics are experiencing considerable trouble in procuring copies of Lodge's *Mechanics*. The book is out of print and the publishers have no copies on hand.

A new time table went into effect on the New London and Northern railroad Monday. The morning train south which left Amherst at 6-44 will leave at 7-05, and the evening train north leaves at 7-57 instead of 8-42.

The last game for the inter-fraternity baseball championship which was left unplayed last spring term between Psi Upsilon and Phi Delta Theta will take place soon, as both fraternities are desirous of playing the game.

The September number of the *New England Magazine* contained an illustrated article, entitled "Greek Letter Societies in American Colleges." Among the illustrations were cuts of the  $\Delta \Delta \Phi$  and  $\Delta K E$  houses.



The following men are competing for the admission prizes: Classical, W. C. Longstreth, C. B. Martindale, E. F. Field, C. E. Mathews, E. W. Pelton, P. Smith, H. A. Miller, J. A. Marsh, E. C. Buffum, J. J. Danahey; scientific, W. W. Lamb, J. L. Vanderbilt, T. M. Proctor.

Mr. W. B. Kimball '56 has presented the Library with a copy of "The History of the Class of 1856," a neat little volume which contains a short biography of each member of the class, together with anecdotes and so forth taken from the class records.

At a meeting of the *Lit* Board, F. M. Allen '98, resigned on account of pressure of work and H. G. Dwight '98 was elected Chairman of the Board in his place. E. H. Barnum '98 and J. W. Barr '99 were elected to fill vacancies, the latter that of H. P. Greeley '98 who has left College.

### SENIOR CLASS WORK.

Two divisions have been formed in Political Economy under Professor Crook, a large majority of the class electing this course. Ely's Political Economy is the text book used at present.

Senior history under Professor Morse has been elected by 56 men, a somewhat smaller class than that of last year. The work consists of lectures and recitations more emphasis being placed upon political and party history than in previous years.

Professor Garman's class in Philosophy includes 72 seniors and is considerably larger than that of last year. The work consists of both lectures and recitations. The textbooks now in use are James' Psychology and Carpenter's Mental Science.

The class in Geology under Professor Emerson will not be formed until next term.

Professor Neill's class in English Literature is conducted as in previous years. An essay on some author is written by each member and read before the class. A general criticism of each essay is made in class by means of previous study of the author. Addison and Swift are at present being studied.

Professor Frink's course in Debates will begin Oct. 18. Two divisions will be formed to meet on Monday and Tuesday of each week. This is the only course required for Seniors.

About 25 Seniors have elected the course in Astronomy under Professor Todd. The work will be carried on by means of lectures until Professor Todd's new book on Astronomy comes from the press.

The class in senior Physics under Professor Kimball numbers six men. Two days a week are devoted to laboratory work and two to recitation. Maxwell's Heat is the text book used at present.

A class of four men, three seniors and one junior, has been formed in Mathematics under Professor Olds. A new course is being offered this year consisting of the study of Todhunter's Integral Calculus with illustrative lectures.

### TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Most of the matches in the first round of the tennis tournament were played this week. The matches played up to Wednesday night resulted as follows:

Preliminary round—Mahony '98, defeated Wells 1900, 6-1, 6-4; Wilkins 1900, defeated M. H. Browne '99, 6-0, 6-2; Lyall '98, defeated Henderson '99, 6-2, 6-3; Johnston '98 defeated Whitney '99, 6-0, 6-3; R. H. Gregory '98 defeated Trefethen '98, 6-0, 6-2; Fisher 1901 defeated Ward 1900, 6-2, 6-4; Atkinson '99 defeated Lyall 1900, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4; Messenger '99 defeated Holman 1900, 6-4, 6-2. First round—Crapo 1900, defeated Dewar '99, 6-0, 3-6, 6-2; Woodworth '99, defeated Bedford '99, 7-5, 3-6, 6-0; C. M. Pratt 1900, defeated Burd '98, 6-4, 11-9; Goddard '98, defeated Hubbard 1900, 6-1, 6-4. Second round—Johnston '98 defeated Lyall '98, 6-2, 8-6; Messenger '99, defeated Atkinson '99, 6-2, 9-7; Goddard '98, defeated Pratt 1900, 6-3, 6-2. Matches to be played in second round are as follows: Mahony '98 vs. Wilkins 1900. Gregory '98 vs. Fisher 1901. Crapo 1900 vs. Woodworth '99.

The matches in doubles resulted as follows:

Preliminary round—Bedford and Atkinson '99, defeated Dewar '99, and Messenger '99, 6-4, 2-6, 3-6. Johnston '98, and Flichtner 1900, defeated Mahony '98 and Wilkins 1900, 6-1, 6-0. E. St. J. Ward and Hubbard 1900, defeated Larkin 1900 and Browne '99, 6-1, 6-2. Three matches remain to be played in this round. First round—Hitchcock '99 and Holman 1900 defaulted to Watson and Crapo 1900.

### INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS.

The intercollegiate tennis tournament opened at New Haven last Tuesday. The total number of entries was only thirteen, Georgetown, Williams, Amherst, Trinity and Pennsylvania being the colleges not represented this year. The results in the morning matches were as follows: Ware, Harvard, defeated Hawk, Wesleyan, 6-2, 6-0; Fuller, Cornell, defeated Smith, Wesleyan, 6-3, 6-3. Hooker, Yale, defeated Hastings, Wesleyan, 6-2, 6-0. In the afternoon the results were: Thompson, Princeton, defeated Noyes, Yale, 6-4, 6-2. Forbes, Harvard, defeated Mundy, Cornell, 6-3, 6-3. The

doubles in the afternoon resulted as follows: Whitman and Ware, Harvard, beat Hawk and Smith, Wesleyan, 6-1, 6-1. Noyes and Hackett, Yale, beat Mundy and Fuller, Cornell, 6-1, 6-3. Ward and Davis, Harvard, beat Linen and Thompson, Princeton, 6-2, 6-2. The annual business meeting of the association elected officers as follows:—Clarence Dodge, Yale, president; D. F. Davis, Harvard, vice-president, and Richard Hooker of Yale secretary and treasurer. It was voted to hold next year's tournament at New Haven.

### THE CIDER MEET.

The arrangements for the annual Cider Meet, which will be held next Wednesday afternoon on Pratt Field have been nearly completed, and the contestants will probably be as entered below. The meet this year promises to be an interesting one and a large number of men are training. One new event has been added, the throwing of the discus. Medals will be given to the winners of the class relay race. The athletic directors have decided that as an incentive for entering the cider meet, winners of events may wear their class numerals on their sweaters. The officials of the meet will be as follows:

Referee—R. F. Nelligan; Judges at finish—Dr. P. C. Phillips, F. W. Goddard '98, Professor Thompson; Judges of field events—A. Mossman '98, C. G. Burd '98, H. C. Ide '98; Timers—A. F. Bardwell, R. F. Nelligan; Clerk of course—S. B. Furbish '98; Starter—R. B. Gibbs '98.

The events and entries:

100 yards Dash—'99, Foster, Blair, DeWitt, Messenger, Damon; 1900, Boggs, Burdon, Franklin, MacDuffee, Parker, Ramsdell, Holman; 1901, Curtenius, Wiggins.

Half mile Run.—'99, Kendall, Mitchell, W. F. Merrill, Russell; 1900, A. H. Clark, Barnum, Brooks, Klaer, Parker, Ramsdell; 1901, Curtenius, Gladwin.

120 yards Hurdle.—'99, Foster, Hitchcock, W. F. Merrill, DeWitt; 1900, Burdon, Franklin, Klaer, Ramsdell; 1901, Goodwin, Crary, Bonney, Story.

One Mile Bicycle Race.—'99, Botham, L. C. Merrell, M. H. Browne, Morse, A. M. Walker; 1900, Dudley, Crannell, Wells, Bryan; 1901, Davis.

440 yards Dash.—'99, Kendall, Russell, Duncan, P. P. Gaylord, Kimball, Messenger, Damon; 1900, Boggs, Burdon, Franklin, Klaer, MacDuffee, Ramsdell; 1901, Gladwin, Curtenius.

One Mile Run.—'99, Dewar, Kendall, Cobb, Kimball, Rosa, Pulsifer; 1900, Brigham, Barnum, Klaer, A. H. Clark, Ladd, R. S. Hubbard; 1901, Barnum.

220 yards hurdle.—'99, Hitchcock, W. F. Merrill, DeWitt, Foster; 1900, Burdon, Ramsdell, Franklin, Klaer; 1901, Goodwin, Crary, Bonney, Story.

One Mile Walk.—'99, Pottle, Hitchcock, Grover,

P. T. B. Ward; 1900, Ladd, R. S. Hubbard, Burdon, Brooks, Jansen.

220 yards Dash.—'99, Messenger, Foster, Blair, Damon, Duncan; 1900, Boggs, Burdon, Franklin, MacDuffee, Parker, Ramsdell, Holman; 1901, Curtenius, Gladwin, Goodwin, Wiggins.

Two Mile Run.—'99, Dewar, Kendall, Cobb, Kimball, Pulsifer, Rosa; 1900, Brigham, Barnum, Ladd, R. S. Hubbard; 1901, Barnum.

Pole Vault.—'99, Pulsifer, Foster, Kendall, Hitchcock; 1900, Franklin, R. S. Hubbard, MacDuffee, Eastman; 1901, Mathews, Fisher.

Shot Put.—'99, Colman, Foster, Wight, Tinker, Kendall, Rosa; 1900, St. Clare, Brooks, Sinclair, Franklin, Burdon, Ramsdell, MacDuffee, Larkin; 1900, Fisher, Gladwin.

Running Broad Jump.—'99 Atkinson, Kerr, Kellogg; 1900, Ramsdell, Franklin, Boggs, Klaer, A. H. Clark, Eastman; 1901, Gladwin, Curtenius, Goodwin, Bonney, Fisher.

Hammer Throw.—'99, Colman, Foster, Wight, Kendall, Rosa; 1900, St. Clare, Sinclair, Righter, MacDuffee, Eastman; 1901, Gladwin, Fisher.

Running High Jump.—'99, Duncan, Messenger, Hutchins, Atkinson; 1900, Brigham, Franklin, R. S. Hubbard, Harris, Klaer, Eastman; 1901, Curtenius, Bonney, Goodwin.

Discus.—'99, Tinker, Colman, Wight, Kendall, Mitchell, Rosa; 1900, St. Clare, Sinclair, Righter, MacDuffee, Franklin, Ramsdell, Eastman; 1901, Gladwin, Fisher.

Class Relay Race.—'98, Furbish, Gregory, Strong, Garfield; '99, Damon, Kimball, Kendall, Duncan; 1900, Boggs, Burdon, Ramsdell, Klaer.

### ASSISTANT FOOTBALL MANAGER.

At a meeting of the College, held in the Chapel last Thursday morning, F. T. Bedford Jr., '99 of Brooklyn, N. Y., was elected assistant manager of the football team.

### ALUMNI NOTES.

'39. Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs of Brooklyn, N. Y., has announced his intention to decline a re-election to the presidency of the American Board of Missions, at the annual meeting soon to be held in New Haven, Conn. As a reason for declining this office, which he has so acceptably filled for many years, Dr. Storrs states that he wishes a relief from the various public duties of a too busy life.

'51.—Dr. Ira L. Moore died at the Parker House in Boston, Oct. 2, after a several week's illness, from a complication of diseases. He leaves a widow and one daughter. Dr. Moore was born at Candia, N. H. He was graduated from Amherst in 1851 at the head of his class, carrying off honors in all his studies. After graduation he formed a partnership in Lowell with Dr. Graves, a former instructor in the College. In 1856 he was elected to the State Legislature from Lowell. In 1858 he ran for the State

Senate against General B. F. Butler, but was defeated by a small vote. In 1860 he went to Boston and in 1861 was elected to the Boston school committee for three years. He was also elected to the State Legislature, where he served in 1865, '67, '70 and '71. To Dr. Moore was given the credit of having changed the Back Bay district of Boston from a tide marsh to a beautiful residential district, which has added to the assessed valuation of the city \$100,000,000 worth of property.

'54.—James B. Ford, M. D. of Norwalk, Ohio, died June 27, 1896.

'55.—Rev. James C. Parsons, of West Bridgewater, died June 30.

'56.—Rev. M. L. Richardson of Montague was elected a delegate to the National Congregational Council at the annual meeting of the Franklin Conference of Congregational churches held at Northfield recently.

'57.—On Wednesday, August 4, Dr. Nathan R. Morse passed away at his home on Essex street, Salem. Dr. Morse was born in Stoddard, N. H., Feb. 20, 1831. His early life was, like that of most New Hampshire country boys, spent upon the farm. He received a common school education, but at the age of twenty-one he resolved to fit himself for college and work himself through. This he did by teaching school in winter and selling books and canvassing for subscriptions during the summer vacations. He attended Tufts Union Academy, Washington, N. H., and also studied under the late M. C. Stebins of Springfield. Dr. Morse entered Amherst college in 1853 and was graduated in 1857. He was publisher of the Amherst Collegiate Magazine during his senior year and also assisted Prof. Hitchcock in securing some of the most noted bird tracks in the Connecticut valley. Dr. Morse taught school in Marion and Duxbury and was principal of the High school in Holyoke in 1859 and 1860. In 1861 he entered the Harvard Medical School and afterwards continued his studies at the University of Vermont, from which he graduated in 1862 at the head of his class. He located in Reading, but in 1865 removed to Salem. He was secretary of the Massachusetts Homoeopathic Medical society in 1878 and 1879, president of the Massachusetts Surgical and Gynecological Society and one of the oldest members of the American Institution of Homoeopathy. Dr. Morse's death was caused by paralysis.

'60.—Willard Putnam is the president of the Alumni Association of the old New Salem Academy at New Salem.

'72.—L. E. Hitchcock, of Chicopee, was one of the speakers at the annual convention of the Massachusetts Sunday School association at Fitchburg, this week.

'74.—Rev. A. D. Mayo of Boston, an honorary graduate of '74, was the guest of George T. Aldrich, president of the Massachusetts Schoolmasters' club held at Boston, Saturday, Oct. 2.

### NINETY-FIVE.

T. A. Penney is teaching school in Dudley.

H. D. French's address at the Yale Divinity School is 42 East Divinity.

### NINETY-SIX.

A. E. Magill who has been studying Mathematics at the University of Frana, has accepted a position under his brother in a Compressed Air Motor Co. in New York city.

C. J. Gleason, F. E. Harkness and H. D. Tyler have been spending a few days in Amherst.

George R. Bliss is employed as travelling salesman for the Bay State Corset Co. of Worcester.

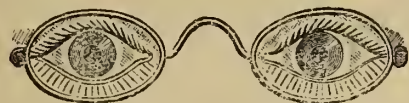
C. L. Storrs, Jr., has entered Yale Theological school.

The marriage of H. E. Riley to Miss Gertrude Louise Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stone occurred Wednesday P.M. Oct. 6, at the Congregational church, Florence. The best man was C. S. Riley of Hartford. The ushers were E. A. Haven and Charles Ely of Florence and H. P. Warren '95 and D. C. McAllister '98. A reception was given after the ceremony at the home of the bride. After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Riley will reside in Florence.

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### ALUMNI NOTES.

'42—The fiftieth anniversary of the ordination of the Rev. Dr. Daniel T. Fiske as pastor of the Belleville church, Newburyport, was celebrated Tuesday, September 14, in a most appropriate manner. Rev. Albert W. Hitchcock '82, the active pastor, presided over the exercises. Addresses were delivered by Prof. E. A. Grosvenor of Amherst college, President Franklin Carter of Williams college and Prof. E. C. Smyth of Andover Seminary. The subject of Professor Grosvenor's address was "Education and the ministry." Dr. Fiske was born in Shelburne, March 29, 1819. He prepared for college at Fellenberg Academy, Greenfield and at a select school at Heath. For a year after leaving College Dr. Fiske acted as principal of the Amherst academy. In 1846 he was graduated from the Andover Theological seminary, and on August 18, 1847, was installed as pastor of the Belleville congregational church. In 1861 Dr. Fiske was chosen a member of the board of trustees of the Andover Theological Seminary and of Phillips Academy, and in 1885 was elected president of the board. which position he still retains. In 1862 he received the degree of D. D. from Amherst college.

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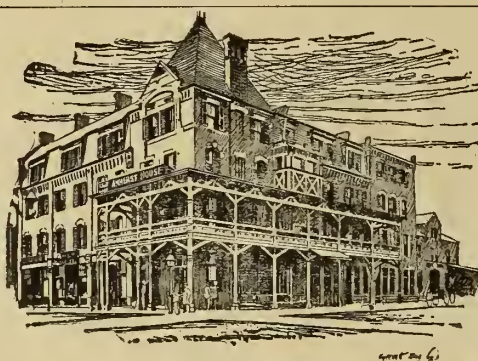
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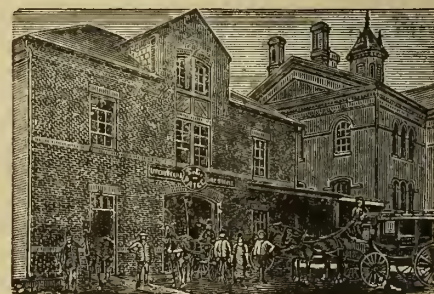
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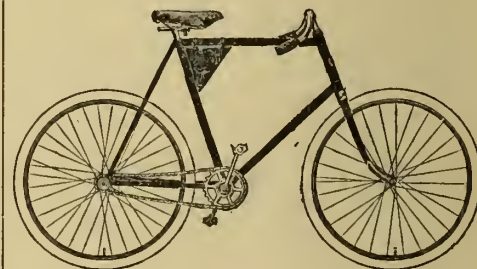
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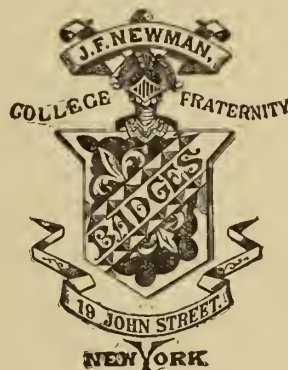
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## THE AMHERST STUDENT.

## FOOTBALL.

AMHERST, 6 ; HOLY CROSS, 6.

For the first time, Amherst met Holy Cross in football, last Saturday, on Pratt Field. The game ended in a tie and was a great disappointment to the College at large. The work of the Amherst team was greatly inferior to that displayed in the Yale game—the chief fault of the team being its fumbling. Foster was tried at quarter-back and showed clearly that this is not his position. Amherst's light line proved an easy mark for Holy Cross' heavy men, while the ends were rarely tried for any gain. Amherst's backs played a swift clean game behind good interference. In the line Ballantine, W. C. Dudley and Howard played the best game.

Amherst kicked off, Holy Cross choosing the benefit of the strong wind that was blowing across the field. Griffin sent the ball to the 20 yard line. Holy Cross advanced it five yards and then fumbled, but Amherst lost it immediately on a fumble. Holy Cross then advanced the ball steadily towards Amherst's goal, by means of push plays through Amherst's line. At times Holy Cross made ten and 15 yards by this style of play. The ball exchanged hands several times, through fumbles, but Holy Cross had the best of it and landed the ball on Amherst's eight yard line. Here Amherst's line stood like a stone wall and held Holy Cross for four downs obtaining the ball and rushing it down the field for from ten to 12 yards each time, only to lose it again near Holy Cross' 25 yard line by wretched fumbling. Holy Cross kept up her push play and slowly reached Amherst's ten yard line when Kenney, although tackled several times was dragged over the line by Lennehan, scoring a touchdown after 18 minutes of play, Lennehan kicked the goal. Pratt was then substituted for Foster at quarterback. Griffin kicked off again for Amherst. Holy Cross advanced the ball to the center of the field, when time was called. Score, Amherst, 0; Holy Cross, 6.

In the second half Amherst played with more snap and less fumbling. Kenney kicked off for Holy Cross. Amherst fumbled the kick and Holy Cross got the ball on Amherst's 25 yard line and advanced ten yards on two plays. Here the ball exchanged hands several times, but Amherst finally getting it, rushed it rapidly down the field ten yards at a time on end plays by Whitney and Kendall. Whitney made a touchdown after

eight minutes of play, Griffin kicked an easy goal. Score, Amherst, 6; Holy Cross, 6. Holy Cross again kicked off to Dudley who brought it back 20 yards. On end plays by Whitney and Kendall, Amherst placed the ball on Holy Cross' 15 yard line, where Whitney was slightly hurt and Godfrey took his place. Holy Cross got the ball on four downs and by mass plays pushed the ball into Amherst's territory. Time was called with the ball on Amherst's 45 yard line. For Holy Cross, Lennehan, Shannahan, Kenney and Lenane played the best game.

The line-up:

## AMHERST.

Ballantine, l. e.  
F. C. Dudley, l. t.  
Walker, l. g.  
Winslow, c.  
W. C. Dudley, r. g.  
Elam, r. t.  
Howard, r. e.  
Foster, } q. b.  
Pratt, }  
Kendall, l. h. b.  
Whitney, } r. h. b.  
Godfrey, }  
Griffin, f. b.

## HOLY CROSS.

r. e. Lennehan  
r. t. Sullivan  
r. g. Hennessey  
c. Campbell  
l. g. { Finn  
Tought  
l. t. McDonough  
l. e. Shannahan  
q. b. Smith  
r. h. b. Callanan  
l. h. b. Lenane  
f. b. Kenney

Score—Amherst, 6; Holy Cross, 6. Touchdowns—Whitney, Kenney. Goals from touchdowns—Griffin, Lennehan. Referee, Thompson, Holy Cross. Umpire—Fosdick '98. Linesman—Brennan, Holy Cross and Mahony '98. Time, two 20 minute halves.

AMHERST, 0 ; HARVARD, 38.

Harvard defeated Amherst last Wednesday at Cambridge by a score of 38 to 0. Although such a large score is likely to be discouraging, still Amherst met more than her equal. Amherst's team this year is unusually light and Harvard's extremely heavy and a just estimation of Amherst's strength can in no way be made from the Harvard game. But Harvard played excellent football and put up a much stronger game than against Dartmouth last Saturday. Her interference was remarkable, her punting good, and rushes irresistible. Amherst played a good game during the first half and got within three yards of Harvard's goal line, but became discouraged in the second. The game was called about four o'clock, Harvard winning the toss and choosing the west goal, thus giving to Amherst the disadvantage of the bright sun. Harvard secured the ball at the center of the field and kicked to Pratt. The ball was downed on Amherst's five yard line. An attempt to punt out was blocked and the ball was soon forced over for the first touchdown only a few minutes after the game was called. Haughton kicked the goal. Score 6 to 0. Haughton kicked to

Griffin who was downed on Amherst's 35 yard line. The ball went to Harvard on a fumble and small gains were made through Amherst's center. Amherst secured the ball on a fumble, and punted to the center. Sawin and Donald made gains through the center until the ball was on Amherst's 15 yard line. Dibble went around right end for another touchdown. Sawin kicked the goal. Score 12 to 0. Shaw caught the kick off and the ball was passed to Haughton who attempted a punt. F. C. Dudley blocked the ball and Elam fell on it on Harvard's 15 yard line. By a succession of rushes, the ball was forced to the 3 yard line. Amherst fumbled and the ball went to Harvard. It was here that Amherst lost her chance of scoring. Haughton punted to the 25 yard line and Pratt again got the ball. Amherst failed on a kick from the field. The ball was punted out to the 45 yard line. By hard rushes the ball was advanced to the 10 yard line. Dibble failed to get around Howard's end, but the ten yards were soon covered and Haughton made the third touchdown and kicked the goal. Score 18 to 0.

In the second half Amherst weakened considerably and seemed unable to resist Harvard's fast rushes Cabot and Haughton were sent through the line for ten and five yards respectively. Dibble, Sawin, Boune, made good gains around the end and again Haughton was pushed over for the fourth touchdown. Sawin kicked the goal. Score 24 to 0. Soon after the ball was again kicked off, Sawin, by a double pass, took the ball on Harvard's 50 yard line and made a run of 55 yards, thus scoring the fifth touchdown, Haughton failed to kick the goal. Score 28 to 0. Harvard, by a series of fast rushes soon carried the ball over for the sixth touchdown. The goal was kicked by Sawin. Score 34 to 0. Haughton caught the next kick off and attempted a punt but Whitney blocked the ball and it went to Amherst on Harvard's 30 yard line. Amherst lost possession of the ball on downs, and Harvard continued to make good gains through the line until Sawin scored the seventh touchdown, but failed at goal. Score 38 to 0. During the remainder of the game Harvard battered the Amherst line and when time was called was in possession of the ball on Amherst's eight yard line. The line up was as follows:

## HARVARD.

Cabot, l. e., Capt.  
Wheeler, l. t.  
Boune, l. g.  
Burden, c.

## AMHERST.

r. e. Howard  
r. t. Elam  
r. g. F. C. Dudley  
c. Winslow

Shaw, r. g.	l. g. Walker
Donald, r. t.	l. t. Dudley
Moulton, r. e.	l. e. Ballantine
Garrison, q. b.	q. b. Pratt
Dibble, l. h. b.	r. h. b. Whitney
Sawin, r. h. b.	l. h. b. Kendall
Houghton, } f. b.	f. b. Griffin
Warren, }	

Umpire, W. H. Lewis. Referee, Pratt. Time 20 and 15 minute halves. Attendance 3000.

#### CRITICISM OF THE TEAM.

The improvement in the work of the football team noted last week received a rather sudden check in the Holy Cross game. Frequent fumbling and weak defensive work seem to account for the result of Saturday's game. On the defense the line is weak against the push plays of a heavier team, but at several times during the game last Saturday they showed that they were able to stand like a stone wall. The backs seem much stronger than last year. The interference in the end plays has been sure and clean, while our ends get into every play with commendable dash and strength. The practice on Monday and Tuesday of this week was the sharpest and most satisfactory of the season. Winslow at center is improving rapidly. Walker at left guard and Dudley 1901 at right show up well. Ballantine and Howard make a strong pair of ends. In the Yale game their tackling was fierce and sure. Kendall and Whitney make the positions behind the line the strongest on the team. Griffin's punting has improved much in this week's practice and he bucks the line strongly and hard. The management would like to see some one try for the position of quarter-back, since a sub-quarter is needed in case of accident.

#### OUR RIVALS.

The strength of Dartmouth's team was severely tested and proven in the game with Harvard, at Cambridge, last Saturday and it was not without considerable hard work on the part of the Harvard men that they succeeded in winning the game 13 to 0. The team play of Dartmouth was excellent and in this respect they seemed to be a match for their opponents, but their weak point seemed to be their failure to punt. Neither side scored during the first half. Dartmouth entertained strong hopes of scoring in the second half but failed to get the ball over Harvard's line. The fact that Harvard, with her unusually heavy team, could score only 13 points against her opponents discloses Dartmouth's strength. Dartmouth plays the University of Pennsylvania to-day at Philadelphia.

Yale defeated Williams at New Haven last Saturday by the score 32 to 0. The result was somewhat disappointing to Williams' supporters. The playing of the Williams team was uninteresting, failing to break up Yale's fine interference each time the ball being repeatedly hurried down the field and over Williams goal line. Branch made nearly all the runs for Williams and Chadwell did some fine tackling. Williams was defeated by Yale last year 22 to 0. Lehigh plays Williams to-day at Albany.

#### FOOTBALL NOTES.

Arrangements for the Yale-Princeton annual football game have been completed. The game will be played on Yale field, New Haven, and a seating capacity for 18,000 persons will be provided.

The students of the Harvard Law school have organized a football team and it is probable that a schedule will be arranged with teams representing the Yale and Columbia Law schools. There were 23 candidates for the team, nearly all of whom are former players of experience and reputation at different colleges in the country.

M. I. T. comes to Amherst to-day and the game will doubtless result in a victory for Amherst. M. I. T. played with Exeter last Saturday and was defeated by a score of 12 to 6. Her line is perceptibly weak and her interference not of the best quality. Amherst did not play M. I. T. last year. Two years ago the score was 20 to 4 in favor of Amherst.

Colby defeated the B. A. A. team in Boston Saturday, 4 to 0. The B. A. A. team has defeated every eastern team it has met since 1894 but was completely out-generated by a much lighter team.

Amherst plays Wesleyan at Middletown next Wednesday afternoon. Yale within the same week scored 32 points against Wesleyan and but 18 against Amherst. This would seem to indicate that the latter has a good chance of winning Wednesday. It must be remembered however that almost all of Wesleyan's old players returned to college this year. The Connecticut college has always been celebrated for good interference and fine team-play and in the Young brothers she has a good pair of ends. Amherst was defeated at Middletown last year by the score of 6 to 0 and won the return game 6 to 4. This year's games will undoubtedly be as close, nevertheless we believe the team can defeat Wesleyan and the College would be overjoyed if both these games could be won.

#### FALL ATHLETIC MEET.

1901, 61; '99, 41; 1900, 33.

The annual fall athletic meet was held on Pratt Field last Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 13. The weather was perfect for the meet, and though no records were broken, the time in many of the events was much better than that made at last year's meet. The management deserves much praise for the success of the meet. The results of the meet show that there are some excellent athletes in the freshman class who should assist the College materially in bringing another championship banner to Amherst next spring. For the first time in the history of the College the "Cider" meet was won by the Freshmen. In two events, the running broad jump and the running high jump, all the points were won by Freshmen.

There was one new event introduced into the program, throwing the discus, and considering the inexperience of all the men, the record made was a good one. Gladwin 1901, proved himself the best all around athlete, taking first place in the quarter and half mile runs and the broad jump. His record of 20 points won was the highest individual score and gives him a good lead in the contest for the Whitcomb cup. Curtenius and Goodwin 1901, and Brigham 1900, each won ten points, and excellent work was also done by Cobb, Messenger and Kimball '99 in the dashes, by Burdon 1900 in the 220 yards hurdle race and by Matthews 1901, in the pole vault. A mile relay race, run by teams representing each of the four classes, was the most exciting event of the afternoon. The Seniors easily won, with the Freshmen second and Juniors third. The following men composed the teams: '98, Furbish, J. F. Gregory, Garfield, Strong; '99, W. F. Merrill, Cobb, Duncan, Kimball; 1900, Klaer, Franklin, Boggs, MacDuffee; 1901, Gladwin, Field, Kellar, Vanderbilt. The plug hat race which is usually run by the Juniors was omitted this year.

#### 120 YARDS HURDLE.

Record, A. Mossman '98, 17 1-5 s.

- 1st Goodwin 1901. Time, 18 s.
- 2d DeWitt '99.
- 3d Franklin 1900.

#### RUNNING HIGH JUMP.

Record, M. H. Tyler '97, 5 ft., 7 3-5 in.

- 1st Goodwin 1901. Distance, 5 ft. 3 1-2 in.
- 2d Towne 1901.
- Rushmore 1901.

#### 100 YARDS DASH.

Record, A. W. Grosvenor '97, 10 1-5 s.

- 1st Curtenius 1901. Time, 10 2-5 s.
- 2d Messenger '99. X<sup>2</sup>
- 3d Burdon 1900.



## PUTTING THE SHOT.

Record, N. D. Alexander '92, 37 ft., 4 1-2 in.

- 1st Fisher 1901. Distance, 34 ft. 2 in.  
2d Wight '99.  
3d Gladwin 1901.

## ONE MILE RUN.

Record, C. O. Wells '91, 4 m., 29 3-5 s.

- 1st Brigham 1900. Time, 5 m. 12 s.  
2d Cobb '99.  
3d Barnum 1901.

## THROWING THE HAMMER.

Record, L. H. Austin '98, 91 ft., 11 1-2 in.

- 1st Colman '99. Distance, 84 ft. 9 in.  
2d Gladwin 1901.  
3d Wight '99.

## HALF MILE RUN.

Record, W. T. Jackson '92, 2 m., 5 2-5 s.

- 1st Gladwin 1901. Time, 2 m. 23 s.  
2d Kjaer 1900.  
3d Vanderbilt 1901.

## ONE MILE WALK.

Record, W. W. Gregg '92, 7 m., 10 s.

- 1st Pottle '99. Time, 9 m. 10 s.  
2d Larkin 1900.  
3d Ladd 1900.

## POLE VAULT.

Record, A. A. Ewing '92, 10 ft., 5 1-2 in.

- 1st Mathews 1901. Distance, 9 ft. 6 in.  
Franklin 1900.  
3d Hubbard 1900.

## 220 YARDS HURDLES.

Record, E. Leonard, Jr. '94, 27 3-5 s.

- 1st Burdon 1900. Time, 28 1-5 s.  
2d Foster '99.  
3d Story 1901.

## 440 YARDS DASH.

Record, G. B. Shattuck '92, 49 1-2 s.

- 1st Gladwin 1901. Time, 55 3-5 s.  
2d Kimball '99.  
3d Ramsdell 1900.

## THROWING DISCUS.

- 1st Wight '99. Distance, 89 ft. 11 in.  
2d MacDuffee 1900.  
3d Colman '99.

## TWO MILE RUN.

Record, C. O. Wells '91, 10 m., 25 3-5 s.

- 1st Brigham 1900.  
2d Cobb '99.  
3d Ennever 1901.

## 220-YARDS DASH.

Record, R. L. Pellett '94, 22 3-5 s.

- 1st Curtenius 1901. Time, 23 4-5 s.  
2d Messenger '99.  
3d Gladwin 1901.

## RUNNING BROAD JUMP.

Record, A. W. Grosvenor '97, 20 ft., 7 3-4 in.

- 1st Gladwin 1901. Distance, 20 ft., 1 in.  
2d Bonney, 1901.  
Field, 1901.

## SUMMARY OF POINTS.

	First.	Second.	Third.	Tied.	Total.
1901,	8	3	8	4 pts.	61
'99,	3	8	2	0	41
1900,	4	2	3	4 pts.	33

## THE LITERARY MONTHLY.

The October *Literary Monthly* appeared yesterday. There are three stories in this issue: "The Adventures of Johnny", by Joseph Barr, a well written story of the experiences of a runaway boy; "The Counterfeiter," a clever and amusing dialect story by E. B. Nitchie; and "A Rebel Victory," by "M." an earnest and quaint little sketch of human nature. A thoughtful article by F. Q. Blanchard entitled "The Amherst Fraternities" apropos to an article in the *New England Magazine* upon American College Fraternities, deals with the Amherst fraternity, its advantages and disadvantages in relation to the College. It clearly states the problem that confronts us if we would combine interest in College and interest in fraternity so that there shall be no conflict between the two. The sketch book by Burges Johnson and E. B. Pottle is bright and witty. The editorial pages contain a conservative discussion of the position of the undergraduate body with regard to the trouble last June. The verse on the whole is quite good. A five stanza poem by E. B. Nitchie entitled "The Eternal Sea" and a rondeau "My Lassie" by Walter Dyer are worthy of mention.

## TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Owing to the bad weather Tuesday several matches were necessarily postponed. Those played up to Wednesday night resulted as follows:

First round—Wilkins 1900 defeated Mahony '98, 0-6, 6-3, 6-4; Second round,—Crapo 1900 defeated Woodworth '99, 6-2, 6-2; Johnston '98 defeated Wilkins 1900, 6-4, 6-2. The match in doubles resulted as follows; Preliminary round, Gregory '98 and Goddard '98 defeated Dewar '99 and Lyall 1900, 6-4, 6-4.

## FOOTBALL CAPTAINS.

Dartmouth, Eckstorm.  
Wesleyan, Young.  
Brown, Fultz.  
Holy Cross, Shannahan.  
Bates, Pulsifer.  
Syracuse University, O'Day.  
Colby, Brooks.  
W. P. I., Booth.  
Harvard, Cabot.  
Yale, Rodgers.  
M. A. C., Beaman.  
Williams, Lotz.  
Bowdoin, Spear.  
Princeton, Cochrane.  
Lehigh, Gunsolus.

## HENRY PRESERVED SMITH D. D.

Rev. Henry Preserved Smith D. D. formerly of Lane Theological Seminary has accepted the chair of Biblical Interpretation in Amherst and the assistant pastorate of the College Church, formerly occupied by Dr. J. E. Tuttle. The Samuel Green endowment which supports this chair provides that the occupant must be either pastor or assistant pastor and it has been decided that Dr. Tuttle's successor should hold the position of assistant pastor while the pulpit of the College Church shall be filled for the most part by outside preachers as was the case last year after the resignation of Dr. Tuttle in November.

Dr. Smith was born in Troy, O., in 1847. He was graduated from Amherst in the class of '69; from here he went to Lane Theological Seminary graduating in 1872. After some years spent in study at Leipsic he returned to this country and at once accepted the chair of Biblical Literature at Lane Theological Seminary, which professorship he has held for 16 years having had entire charge of the Old Testament work in the seminary. Dr. Smith was ordained to the Presbyterian ministry in 1875. Work in Dr. Smith's department will begin in January. The class in Biblical Literature will take up the study of two books of the Old Testament. The work for the Spring term will consist of two books of the New Testament. Dr. Smith will also conduct an optional class in Hebrew.

Friends of the College will rejoice at the selection of Dr. Smith, as few men are more able to make the work in this department interesting and few are better equipped for the position.

## CLASS DRILL.

Mr. Nelligan and Dr. Phillips announce the following exercises to be used in the class gymnasium drills this term: Freshmen, dumbbells four times a week; Sophomores; fencing for beginners, Monday and Thursday, other days dumbbell drill; Juniors, Indian clubs, Monday and Thursday, other days dumbbells; Seniors, bar-bell or single stick drill, Monday and Thursday, other days dumbbells.

## BETA THETA PI CONVENTION.

The 58 annual convention of the Beta Theta Pi fraternity was held at Niagara Falls, N. Y., July 16 to 20. Delegates were present from 61 active and 15 alumni chapters. The Amherst chapter was represented by F. K. Dyer '98.

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THE STUDENT feels that there should be some fixed rule to govern the dates of the elections in which the student body casts its vote for the managers of college organizations. The manner in which elections for assistant managerships have been crowded together this year into the past two weeks is certainly a mistake. The hurried selection of men as well as the too frequent occurrence of elections is likely to bring about a careless choice of nominees. The election of the assistant managers of our college teams merits the earnest thought of every college man and in no case should a hasty decision be made. We look to the athletic board of the College to make some strict rules regulating the dates of the elections in the future.

THE annual fall meeting of the athletic association was held last Wednesday and with what results the College already knows. Although no records were broken the meet was nevertheless one of the most successful and satisfactory ever held at Amherst and the results should be a source of encouragement to all Amherst men. The Freshmen are especially to be commended for the splendid showing they made. Their work in all the events was of a high order and shows that there is fine material in the class

and we confidently expect that under Mr. Nelligan's wise direction they will be able to do much to uphold Amherst's enviable record in track athletics. The work done by members of the junior and sophomore classes was also good and we believe that our prospects for a championship track team and a fast relay team are better to-day than they have been for years. The meet was well managed, the events were contested with spirit and we congratulate the management on its success.

CLASS spirit within reasonable limits is in every way commendable. When, however, it is allowed to run to such extremes that it endangers life and violates law, it ceases to be a virtue and should be dealt with summarily. There is some question as to where the responsibility rests for the free street fight in which the lower classes indulged Wednesday evening, but it is certainly true that both parties were in some measure to blame. The laws of Massachusetts would have perfectly justified the town authorities in taking summary measures to disperse the mob. In the eyes of the law the combatants were nothing more than an ordinary street mob obstructing the public streets and endangering life and property, and they might have been treated accordingly. If a fight was inevitable it should have taken place on the college grounds. It would be better that class rivalry should die out altogether if its continuance means that men must so completely lose control of their passions that they will use such reckless violence toward their opponents as was a very prominent element in the scenes attending this latest and fiercest demonstration of the rivalry between Sophomores and Freshmen.

THE STUDENT has frequently emphasized by way of editorial comment the pressing need of a good second eleven in order to give the varsity the practice which is such a necessary requisite for the development of a winning team, but as yet but little good has resulted from the suggestions contained in these columns. Although the subject may be a trite one, yet we feel that something must be done, and done immediately to remedy this evil. It is certainly a deplorable fact that only about half a dozen men have college spirit enough to go down on the field every afternoon to line up against the varsity, yet it is true and a complete second eleven is the exception rather than the rule. Of course with such a spasmodic attendance on the

part of the men of the second eleven, the organization of the team is merely superficial and so, of course, is least fitted to furnish good practice for the varsity. As a remedy for this state of affairs we would further suggest that the management take measures for the formation of a regular second eleven with substitutes and that such a team when organized receive the recognition due it, from the College. To this end we would advise that the members of the second eleven be allowed to wear the word "2nd" on their sweaters, and that the team be officially recognized in the college annual. By such means the drudgery of two months of hard work would, in a measure, receive compensation and the improvement in the second eleven made by such a stimulus could not fail to react most favorably on the practice of the varsity.

## CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, Oct. 16.—Football game on Pratt Field, Amherst vs. Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

SUNDAY, Oct. 17.—Preaching in the College Church at 10-45 A. M., by Professor Genung.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 20.—Football game at Middletown, Amherst vs. Wesleyan.

## OFFICIAL NOTICES.

Members of 1900 who have been awarded Armstrong prizes, will please call for their books at the distributing desk of the Library, Monday next.

HENRY A. FRINK.

Competitors for positions on the editorial board of THE STUDENT will mark copy as usual this evening.

The postponed examinations for the freshman admission prizes will be held on Wednesday next, October 20, at the hours already scheduled.

REGISTRAR.

## RELIGIOUS NOTES.

Professor Crowell led the mid-week prayer meeting Thursday on the topic, "Some Bible Tests of a Genuine Christian Spirit."

The Mission Study class at the Y. M. C. A. room this evening will take up the subject, "Development of the Mission Field in North and South America."

The freshman Bible class has been supplied with Greek Testaments to assist them in the study of the Gospel of John. Dr. Thomas took up part of the lesson with the class last Sunday. Every Sunday, members



of the class read short papers on the especial topic under discussion.

The Y. M. C. A's. of Massachusetts and Rhode Island will hold a conference at Worcester, Oct. 30 and 31. In connection with this meeting there will also be a conference of the College Y. M. C. A's of the two states. Secretary Clark of the College Y. M. C. A., and H. P. Kendall '99, will be delegates representing Amherst at the convention.

### IN BRIEF.

The football bleachers have been erected. Sophomore declamations will begin Oct. 30.

L. C. Merrell '99, is correspondent for the *Syracuse Post*.

The election of assistant baseball manager was held Friday morning.

The billiard room at the Gymnasium was opened Thursday afternoon.

Edward H. Keller of Schenectady, N. Y. has entered the freshman class.

There was a meeting of the Phi Beta Kappa society Saturday evening.

Regular gymnasium drill for the three upper classes began Thursday afternoon.

Founder's day at Mt. Holyoke will not be observed until Thanksgiving Day this year.

None of the preparatory school clubs in College have been reorganized as yet this year.

The sophomore Latin class will soon commence the reading of a play written by Terrence.

A. W. Grosvenor ex-'97, M. I. T. '98, who has been seriously ill in Millbury, is in town.

George Dautell ex-'99 played right half back on the Yale team against Williams last Saturday.

Captain Arter attended the Harvard-Dartmouth football game at Cambridge last Saturday.

Mrs. D. P. Todd delivered a lecture at the annual meeting of Bradford Academy last Saturday.

The physical measurements of the members of the freshman class were finished Wednesday morning.

The annual session of the New England Association of Colleges and High Schools was held in Boston, Oct. 8.

The Salem Cadet band is to give the first concert in the Union lecture course, at the town hall, Tuesday evening, Oct. 19.

G. W. Moore '99 has returned to College.

The sophomore class has passed resolutions condemning hazing, and a copy of the same has been forwarded to the faculty.

Several students saw Frank Mayo in "Pudd'nhead Wilson" at the Academy of Music, Northampton, Saturday evening.

The Entrance Prize examinations which were to have closed Oct. 13, were postponed because of the annual Fall Athletic meet.

Professor Crowell gave his junior division in Latin an examination on the work and reading covering the life of Seneca, on Monday.

Jo Jefferson is to play in Springfield next Wednesday at the Court Square Theatre. He will probably appear in *Rip Van Winkle*.

The Y. M. C. A. has made arrangements with Dwight Moody, the evangelist, to conduct meetings in College Hall sometime in the near future.

The announcements for the Union lecture course have been distributed during the week in the form of a neat pamphlet giving full description of the numbers.

The schedules for the fall term are now ready for distribution at the Registrar's office. The students' address list may be obtained next Monday, at the Registrar's office.

Professor Emerson's class in Mineralogy began exercises Tuesday. The course will consist of eight hours a week laboratory work. The text book used will be Moss' Mineralogy.

Librarian Fletcher gave an interesting talk on "The relation of the library to the public schools" at a meeting of the Massachusetts town and district superintendents' association held in Springfield, Friday, Oct. 8.

Professor Genung's class in literature will meet Monday evenings instead of Friday evenings until further notice. The class is reading Robert Browning's poems from a text edited by Charlotte Porter and Helen A. Clarke.

The *Springfield Republican* of Oct. 3, published a short sketch of the life, together with the picture of Rev. Dr. Preserved Smith, who is to occupy the chair of

The following men have been appointed readers of the eight divisions in Political Economy: F. A. Blossom, J. W. Eggleston, C. S. Hayward, C. A. Strong, Harold Walker, W. E. Walker, F. C. Wellman.

biblical history and literature at the opening of the winter term.

Professor Sterret began his course of illustrated lectures to the junior class on Oct. 2. The views are reproductions of ancient sculpturing on vases and are illustrative of the Trojan cycle of myths. W. H. Gilpatric '99 has charge of the lantern.

The drawing and sale of the tickets for the Union lecture course was held in the Court Room, Town Hall, Wednesday evening. Single course tickets are \$1.00 and family course tickets \$2.00. Reserved seats will be fifty, seventy-five cents and one dollar according to the location, in addition to the cost of the ticket.

Professor Harris who has been engaged as an expert testifier by the prosecution in the case of State vs. Mrs. Clara E. Condon charged with poisoning Mrs. Lucinda W. Hunt, figured prominently in the trial held at Springfield last week. The *Springfield Union* published a picture of Professor Harris in connection with the report of the trial.

It does not now seem probable that the junior-freshman baseball game will be played immediately. The faculty having prohibited playing off the match on any day not a half-holiday. The first available date which is open on the football schedule is Oct. 23. A class game on this date will make it possible for members of the teams who play regularly on the eleven to play in the baseball game.

At the annual meeting of the gymnasium and field association of Smith College, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: First vice-president, Miss Allen '99; second vice-president, Miss Coyle '98; secretary, Miss Ruell 1900; treasurer, Miss Leese 1900; executive committee, Miss Copperthwaite '98, Miss Morton 1900, Miss Bouvi 1901. Miss Schwarb '99 was appointed chairman of the tennis committee.

### COLLEGE PREACHERS.

Sunday, Oct. 17, Professor Genung will preach, also taking the President's Bible class. On Sunday, Oct. 24, Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheeler of Cornell, whose lectures upon Greece so interested the College last year will be the preacher. Oct. 31, Professor Grosvenor will preach and conduct Vespers. Dr. Arthur T. Pearson will be preacher Nov. 7. For many months Dr. Pearson filled acceptably the pulpit in London of the celebrated preacher Spurgeon. This fall he is preaching in New York and Boston while making his home in Northfield. He is also engaged in editing *The Review of Missions*.

**PROFESSOR EMERSON'S TRIP.**

Professor Emerson arrived home Sept. 28, having been absent as national delegate to the International Geologist's Congress at St. Petersburg, Russia, ever since College closed for the summer vacation. He reports a most enjoyable trip and says that the geologists were everywhere entertained with literally regal magnificence. The value and significance of the congress at St. Petersburg cannot be overestimated, there being more than 1000 geologists assembled from all over the world. Among them all Professor Emerson received special distinction, being elected one of the vice-presidents of the congress to represent America.

He left America the last of June with F. B. Loomis '96, last year's assistant in Biology, and three other professors of Geology from other colleges. The party went via Montreal where they took ship for Liverpool. Ice was encountered in large quantities, but the steamer arrived safely at Liverpool. Liverpool reached, the party made an expedition through the lake regions of England, then sailed to Christiana, Norway. Here they were met by the Arctic explorer, Dr. Nansen, who invited the party, now with the addition of Professor Broegger of Christiana, who acted as guide, for a fortnight's cruise among the fjords of Norway.

Leaving Nansen, the party made a geological trip through Finland where, at the hands of small towns and wealthy individuals they were royally received. For example the government of one town appropriated \$5000 to entertain the party.

The expedition reached St. Petersburg just in season for the congress. The number of delegates from this country was 50 with a total of 1000 delegates present. All the eminent geologists of the world were there, several of the foreigners being old friends and companions of Professor Emerson on previous geological expeditions. The Grand Duke Nicholas presided at the opening, the Czar being absent on military manoeuvres at Warsaw. The business of the congress consisted of the discussion of a great range of subjects relating to general principles of science and general methods of the nomenclature of stratified rocks and eruptive rocks, in an attempt to obtain uniformity among 18 different nationalities represented. Reports were made on the geographical map of Europe, which is now being published. Many papers and special investigations were also brought up. Outside of the convention, all the spare moments of the

delegates were occupied with fêtes, state dinners, receptions and all sorts of gaieties.

Following the congress Professor Emerson spent two weeks of geological research in Russia, travelling from St. Petersburg across Russia, by way of Moscow, Nishni Novgorod and the Volga. From there he returned to Rotterdam and arrived Sept. 28. in New York on the Spaundam.

**PRESIDENT GATES' APPOINTMENTS**

President Gates was again invited to preside at the Mohonk Indian conference this week but declined in order to attend the meeting of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions of which he is a corporate member, at New Haven. He was to have made the report upon the Turkish missions on Thursday, but on account of ill-health during the first part of the week was obliged to give up the appointment.

Next week the American Missionary association holds its annual meeting at Minneapolis, Minn. For the last five years President Gates has been president of this association and he will preside this year as usual, responding to addresses of welcome on the first day and making the closing address on Thursday evening. His subject will be "The Educating of the American Citizen."

**DELTA UPSILON CONVENTION.**

The 63 annual convention of the Delta Upsilon fraternity will be held in Amherst with the Amherst chapter, Oct. 21 and 22. Judge Sherman, the president of the fraternity is to be present and will preside over the convention. On Wednesday evening Oct. 20, the delegates will see Jo Jefferson at Springfield. The exercises begin on Thursday, this day being devoted to business. In the evening there will be a public meeting in College Hall which will be addressed by prominent fraternity men. On Friday unfinished business will be disposed of and the convention will close with a banquet in Northampton in the evening. About 65 or 70 delegates are expected to be present. Rupert H. Hughes, Adelbert '92, will act as orator, Charles H. A. Wager, Colgate '92, as poet, and Paul S. Reinsch, Wisconsin '90, as historian.

**ASSISTANT ATHLETIC MANAGER.**

At a meeting of the College held immediately after chapel services Wednesday morning, Charles I. DeWitt of Montclair, N. J., was elected assistant athletic manager.

**ARMSTRONG PRIZES.**

The books selected by Professor Frink for the prizes in freshman Rhetoric for the class of 1900 which are given by Collin Armstrong '77 are as follows; H. C. Goddard who had four prizes received "American Orations" in four volumes, "British Orations" in three volumes, Richard Grant White's "Words and Their Uses" and "Everyday English" and French's "Study of Words;" R. L. Grant who has three prizes, the same with the exception of the "British Orations"; G. S. Bryan, E. S. Cobb, S. E. Flichtner, C. L. Gomph, H. G. Merrill and F. P. Young who have each two prizes, "American Orations" and "Words and Their Uses"; W. S. Allen, L. P. Brigham, R. M. Crannell, W. A. Dyer, C. G. Herald, L. C. Hubbard, D. H. Hurd, F. H. Klaer, J. D. Regan, H. K. Robinson, and E. H. Wilkins who have each one prize, "Words and Their Uses" and "Everyday English."

**COLLEGE IMPROVEMENTS.**

The surveying for the grading in front of Walker Hall and the laboratories has been finished. The contracts have not yet been given, but bids have been received and the successful bidder will probably be announced in a few days. By this grading, the Boltwood estate will be included in the campus. A road will be put through from Walker Hall to Faculty street, and already the trees and Professor Grosvenor's barn are being removed. The other work also will be begun at once and it is expected that everything will be completed next spring. Later it is proposed to extend the road through to Spring street. The College already owns the right of way but the town will not do its share as yet. The part of the work to be done now will cost between \$5000 and \$8000.

**FRESHMAN ELECTIONS.**

At a meeting of the freshman class last week, the following elections were made: President, W. D. Ballantine, Bombay, India; vice-president, H. C. Davis, Jr., Ware; secretary, C. E. Mathews, South Framingham; athletic director, H. W. Gladwin, Westfield. The other offices will be filled at a later date, as it becomes necessary, and the class become better acquainted. The monogram for the jersey was also chosen, consisting of a large "A" with a "C" hanging from the cross piece, and the figures zero and one on each side respectively, all on a blue background.



## FRATERNITY INITIATIONS.

The following men were initiated by the fraternities last night :

A Δ Φ. 8

- 1901—Maitland L. Bishop, New York, N.Y.  
Harold H. Blossom, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Rowland B. Dodge, Worcester.  
Maurice L. Farrell, Cortland, N. Y.  
John L. Godfrey, Northampton.  
John F. Phillips, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
William R. Rushmore, Plainfield, N.J.  
John L. Vanderbilt, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Ψ Y. 11

- 1900—David Whitcomb, Worcester.  
1901—Leonard W. Bates, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Morris B. Butler, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
William Goodell, Amherst.  
John R. Herrick, Peekskill, N. Y.  
Herbert P. Houghton, Stamford, Conn.  
Fred K. Kretschmar, Philadelphia, Pa.  
John H. McCluney, Jr., St. Louis, Mo.  
Harry V. D. Moore, New York, N.Y.  
Edwin S. Parry, Jenkintown, Pa.  
Joseph Warner, Northampton.

Δ K E. 12

- 1900—Henry W. Ballantine, Springfield.  
Harold W. Burdon, West Newton.  
1901—George P. Bonney, Hadley.  
Frank W. Burrows, Andover, N. Y.  
Edwin C. Buffum, Winchester, N. H.  
H. M. Kittredge, Fishkill, N. Y.  
Oliver E. Merrell, Syracuse, N. Y.  
Percy J. Morgan, Cleveland, Ohio.  
Anson E. Morse, Amherst.  
Oliver J. Story, Rome, N. Y.  
Ralph M. Stoughton, Riverside.  
Stuart Walker, Boston.

Δ Y. 5

- 1901—George M. Bartlett, Mattawan, N. Y.  
Willard W. Everett, Norwood.  
Jeremiah F. Ganey, Peabody.  
William W. Lamb, Ransomville, N.Y.  
Guy F. Swinington, Rutland, Vt.

X Ψ. 8

- 1901—John P. Adams, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Charles E. Dyer, Minneapolis, Minn.  
Harvey J. Elam, Indianapolis, Ind.  
Gilbert J. Hurty, Indianapolis, Ind.  
Harry A. Miller, North Adams.  
Charles E. Robertson, New Milford, Conn.  
Walter F. Stutz, Albany, N. Y.  
Ernest W. Pelton, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

X Φ. 7

- 1900—Theodore S. Lee, Springfield.  
1901—William M. Clark, Elizabeth, N. J.  
Harry H. Clutia, Amherst.  
Noble S. Elderkin Jr., Chicago, Ill.  
Edwin F. Field, Worcester.

Preserved Smith, Lakewood, N. J.  
Harry B. Zimmerman, Pottsville, Pa.

B Θ II. 10

- 1901—James T. Abbott, Northampton.  
Charles Chambers, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Henry C. Davis, Jr., Ware.  
Henry K. Eastman, Framingham.  
Harry D. Foster, Rockville, Conn.  
Nathaniel L. Goodrich, Utica, N. Y.  
John P. Goodwin, Sharon, Conn.  
Charles E. Mathews, So. Framingham.  
Charles H. Pattee, Dorchester.  
Eastwood P. Thompson, Northampton.

Θ Δ X. 5

- 1899—Albert M. Walker, Stafford Springs, Conn.  
1901—William D. Ballantine, Bombay, India.  
Francis G. Barnum, Harpoot, Turkey.  
William S. Hatch, West Newton.  
Albert W. Hunt, Auburndale.

Φ Δ Θ. 10

- 1901—Jesse E. Baker, Keokuk, Ia.  
Arthur R. Couch, Northampton.  
Clare J. Crary, Sheffield, Pa.  
John E. Denham, Westboro.  
George B. Ennever, Montclair, N. J.  
Harry W. Gladwin, Westfield.  
Andrew F. Hamilton, Athol.  
John A. Marsh, New Milford, Conn.  
Leonard L. Roden, Attleboro.  
Jay H. Stevens, Hornellsville, N. Y.

Φ Γ Δ. 3

- 1901—Thomas M. Proctor, Wrentham.  
Alfred W. Southgate, Worcester.  
Reuben F. Wells, Hatfield.

Φ K Ψ. 4

- 1900—Lew C. Hubbard, Sivas, Turkey.  
1901—Harold M. Bruce, Worcester.  
John M. Clark, North Hadley.  
Walter C. Longstreth, Germantown, Pa.  
Charles N. Lovell, Greenfield.  
Charles B. Martindale, Philadelphia, Pa.  
Loren H. Rockwell, Jordan, N. Y.  
Arthur W. Towne, Springfield.  
Frank E. Wade, Brooklyn, N. Y.

## GOLF CLUB.

At a meeting of the Golf club held Saturday evening, it was decided to adopt a club ball. It was also voted that the regular tournament should be played between Wednesday, Oct. 13, and the Wednesday of the following week, those making the eight best scores on the preliminary round to contest for the prize. It is probable that a handicap tournament will take place later.

## JUNIOR CLASS ELECTION.

At a meeting of the junior class held Monday evening the following officers were elected: President, W. H. Griffin, Brooklyn, N. Y. Vice-president, A. C. Henderson, Brooklyn, N. Y. Secretary, J. H. Marriott, Springfield. Treasurer, P. T. B. Ward, Amherst. Baseball director, W. H. Tinker, St. Johnsbury, Vt. Football director, H. P. Whitney, Toledo, O. Athletic director, H. P. Kendall, Walpole, Mass. Chairman junior prom. com., H. M. Messenger, Chicago, Ill. Tennis director, H. M. Messenger, Chicago, Ill. Gym captain, C. I. DeWitt, Montclair, N. J. Vice-gym captain, F. H. Foster, Springfield, Mass.

## JOINT CONCERT.

A joint concert of the Amherst and Princeton Glee clubs will be given in the Town Hall at Northampton on the evening of November 18. Owing to a previous engagement the Academy of Music could not be obtained for the purpose. The Amherst club is stronger and superior to last year's club and Princeton's will undoubtedly be up to its usual high standard. Tickets will be on sale at Hyde's or may be purchased of the manager.

## ALL AMERICAN BASEBALL TEAM.

Caspar Whitney during the summer chose the following All American baseball team for the season of 1897: Pitcher, C. L. Paine, Jr., Harvard; catcher, D. D. Scannell, Harvard; first base, A. S. Rodman, Brown; second base, P. Haughton, Harvard; third base, H. Letton, Yale; short stop, W. D. Phillips, Brown; left field, R. F. Easton, Princeton; center field and captain, H. M. Keator, Yale; right field, J. Bradley, Princeton; substitutes—pitcher, Jayne, Princeton; catcher, Kafer, Princeton; infield, Fultz, Brown; outfield, Rand, Harvard.

## HYGIENE PRIZE.

For the second year, A. Lyman Williston of Northampton, will offer a prize of \$10 in gold to be awarded to the member of the freshman class who submits the neatest and most complete set of notes on the lectures in Hygiene which Dr. Hitchcock gives to the class during the fall term.

## COMMUNICATIONS.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE AMHERST STUDENT:

It seems to me that the editorial in last week's issue regarding the class prayer meetings is liable to be misunderstood and it will be a favor if you will let me show how the matter appears from the association's point of view. There is no present intention of giving up the class prayer meetings, but on the contrary we hope to improve and strengthen them, as well as all the other services, especially the Thursday evening meeting. The number of our religious services is sometimes objected to, but the reason for their existence lies in their diversity. The Vesper service and Bible classes are unique since they meet special needs. The class prayer meetings are intended to bring the fellows into close spiritual touch with their classmates, many enjoying this more than the meetings of the whole College. But there are still some of us who do enjoy coming in contact with men from all the classes in an informal service of song and prayer, and so we have the Sunday evening meeting. It is hardly necessary to say that a mid-week service is everywhere recognized as needful and desirable. Now it is the hope and wish of the association, not that the whole College should attend all these meetings, but that every man should go to some one meeting, whichever best suits his needs. Attendance on religious meetings is not, of course, the essential thing in a Christian life, but if our lives were all we wish them to be, wouldn't we want to meet in conference or prayer, with others, once in a week? Will each man who reads this, especially if he considers himself a Christian, think over carefully his personal responsibility in the matter of religious services, and see if he would not both get and give good by attending some one voluntary service each week.

Very sincerely yours,

HUBERT LYMAN CLARK.

AMBALLA, NORTH INDIA,  
Sept. 9, 1897.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE AMHERST STUDENT:

May I ask your help for the pressing needs out here in India? For the urgent famine relief purposes I need \$500 or \$1000 but any small amount will greatly help just now, as I have exhausted all the funds I could gather and all my personal means to help relieve the distress and starvation about us, though we are not so badly off as some other places. I have about 150 people dependent

entirely upon my help, the majority of these are lepers and can do no work. Seventeen orphan children I have gathered and cannot afford to take more, though I might get 100 or more in a few days time, for they are to be had for the asking or collecting. In some regions there are many thousands of orphans. Many ladies and gentlemen are feeding 500 or 1000 orphans but there are many more unprovided for. For poor women and girls spinning work has been opened and nearly 300 women and girls get about three cents a day, hardly enough to keep body and soul together, especially as the majority of these women are widows and some with children to feed on the three cents a day. Many more women are begging for work but friends will not allow of more being enrolled. Europeans in the station have helped, but only enough for a few days and now I am begging from Europeans and natives about the country. Daily skeletons are seen about the roads and villages begging. Poor women sweep up in little piles the dust and dirt of the roads and often winnow out kernels of grain. In the fields and on the road sides, it is a common sight to see dogs, jackals and vultures eating human bodies; sometimes these animals and birds begin the eating before life is extinct, as I have more than once seen.

It is very hard to save starving people, when they have got to a certain stage, for then a good meal may mean sudden death, hence our desire is to begin early. It is pitiful to hear starving children crying "hungry, hungry, hungry," even after being fed. May I ask help of the good people of the College and town, who, I am sure, will be glad to give small sums, if not large, and so make up something to send out here, for every little is helpful.

Besides this present famine distress, I have constantly with me a large number of poor lepers to feed, clothe and attend, costing yearly about \$4000. Most of this sum I have to collect or pay from my own pocket. I would be very glad to get some fixed sums towards this branch of the work. To clothe, feed, etc. one leper costs about \$30 per annum. We have just now two European and over 80 native lepers. I am much interested in this work among the lepers.

Whatever you may be able to send is most urgently needed for present distress. An early answer will be anxiously looked for.

M. B. CARLETON, MD.

Professor Cowles who is a classmate of Dr. Carleton will be glad to receive any contributions to send to India.

## SENIOR DEBATES.

Professor Frink has arranged the following schedule for this term's senior debates:

- Oct. 18. Blossom, Clapp, Collins, Bryant, Blanchard, Conant.  
19. Marsh, Woodward, Stackman, Hayward, Strong, Tyler.  
25. Austin, Furbish, Eveleth, Everett, Allan, Davis.  
26. Ide, Trefethen, Howard, Nichols, Hitchcock, Nims.  
Nov. 1. Goddard, Harkness, Garland, Foster, Blatchford, Fosdick.  
2. H. H. Mossman, Otterson, Porter, Ward, Lyall, Mahony.  
8. Barnum, Gardner, Barkwill, Goodale, Bliss, R. H. Gregory.  
9. McAllister, Smith, Rice, Wright, Loud, Wyman.  
15. Dwight, Harrington, Boyd, Eddy, Burd, Garfield.  
16. Howland, A. Mossman, Johnson, Harris, Johnston, Weathers.  
22. Child, Gibbs, Breed, Gritzmacher, Arter, Carmody.  
23. Janes, Holmes, Mighill, Reynolds, H. Walker, W. E. Walker.  
29. Elam, Engle, Eggleston, Brackett, Elsworth, J. F. Gregory.  
30. Lyman, Tobey, Poole, Hunt, Merriam, Lennehan.  
Dec. 6. Dyer, Hager.  
7. Warren, Wellman, Lind.

## FOOTBALL SCORES.

- Oct. 9.—Harvard 13—Dartmouth 0.  
Yale 32—Williams 0.  
Princeton 28—U. S. N. A. 0.  
Brown 44—Boston University 0.  
Cornell 15—Tufts 0.  
Trinity 26—M. A. C. 5.  
Bates 8—University of Maine 6.  
Colby 4—B. A. A. 0.  
N. H. College 22—Tilton 0.  
West Point 12—Wesleyan 9.  
N. J. A. C. 16—Union 4.  
Exeter 12—M. I. T. 6.  
Yale freshmen 6—Williston 4.

## THE POPULAR SHORT LINE

from New England to the West, is the Fitchburg, West Shore and Nickel Plate Road. Through Wagner Buffet Sleeping Cars are run between Boston and Chicago every day in the year. The rates are from \$1.50 to \$3.00 lower than via other lines, for like class of ticket. The dining cars and meal stations on the Nickel Plate Road are operated by the company, and the service is second to none. Day coaches are in charge of colored porters to look after the wants of both first and second class passengers. The trains are lighted by gas and heated by steam, and are equipped with all the modern improvements.

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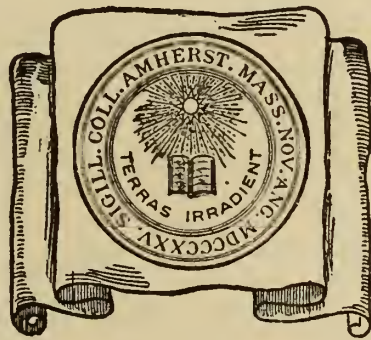
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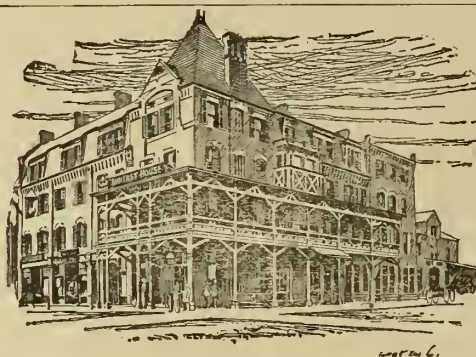
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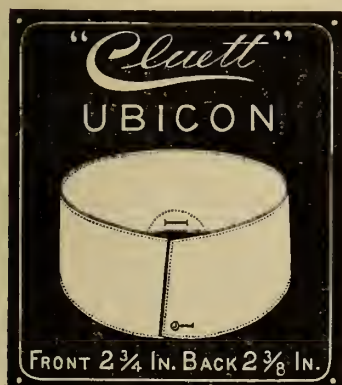
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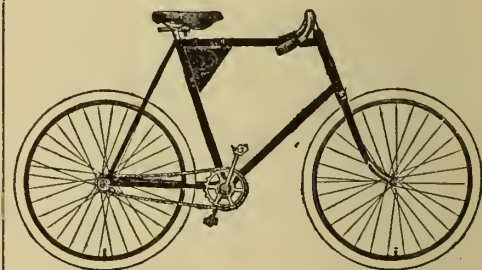
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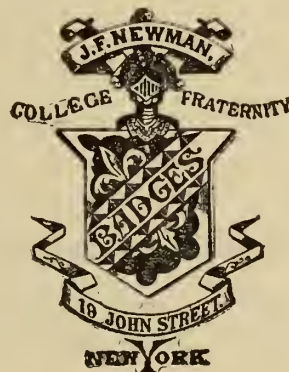
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## THE AMHERST STUDENT.

## FOOTBALL.

AMHERST, 8 ; M. I. T., 6.

For the first time in two years Amherst met M. I. T upon Pratt Field, last Saturday afternoon. The result of the game was not as encouraging to Amherst as it was hoped it might be. The playing of the team as a whole was far below the mark it must reach if Amherst is to make a creditable showing in her games with Williams and Dartmouth. The right end of the line was perhaps the weakest part of the team, owing to the fact that the men had not fully recovered from the effects of their recent hard game with Harvard. Ballantine at left end, Dudley at left tackle, and behind the line, Whitney and Kendall, played a strong game. There were still, however, frequent cases of fumbling which would have proved very costly against a stronger team.

M. I. T. chose the western side of the field, having the advantage of the wind, and Griffin kicked off for Amherst, sending the ball to M. I. T's 25 yard line. Amherst took it from M. I. T. almost at once on a fumble. Kendall then made a gain of 20 yards, which was increased five yards by Whitney through the line. M. I. T. got possession of the ball on downs but was unable to gain any ground and the ball went to Amherst. After a gain of seven yards by Kendall, Whitney carried the ball across the line for the first touchdown at the end of five minutes play. Griffin failed to kick a goal and the score stood: Amherst 4, M. I. T. 0.

The ball was then kicked off by Nolet and after going out of bounds twice was brought back to the 20 yard line. After a series of short gains and losses Whitney made a run of 30 yards and was tackled on M. I. T's 50 yard line. Amherst now had the ball at the centre of the field and short gains were made through the line by Kendall and Whitney. Again Whitney gained 25 yards which brought the ball to the 10 yard line. Kendall carried the ball to within three yards of M. I. T's goal and Griffin was pushed over the line for a touchdown, but he afterwards failed to kick a goal. Score, Amherst 8, M. I. T. 0. Four minutes of play remained for the first half during which neither side scored. The half ended with the ball on Amherst's 35 yard line.

In the second half M. I. T. substituted Emery at right half back and McDonald at left guard. Tech's playing during this half was much improved while Amherst lost much

of the spirit which was displayed in the first half and seemed unable to make any great gains. Nolet kicked off to Amherst's 20 yard line and the ball was brought back by F. C. Dudley five yards. Tech got the ball on a fumble and gained five yards but was pushed back for two yards. On the next play the ball was carried to Amherst's five yard line. Then Captain Ulmer commenced a series of successful plays on Amherst's line which brought the ball near Amherst's goal. Amherst here braced and held the Tech line and obtained the ball. Griffin, after a small gain, punted the ball out of danger. M. I. T. commenced again their mass plays and by slow, steady gains reached Amherst's six yard line over which Werner was pushed for a touchdown after seven minutes of play. Nolet kicked an easy goal. Score, Amherst 8, M. I. T. 6.

Griffin then kicked to M. I. T.'s 10 yard line but the ball was brought by Werner to the 25 yard line. Tech then made a gain of 20 yards around Amherst's right end. For the rest of the half, the ball was in M. I. T's territory most of the time. Whitney, with splendid interference, made a run of 60 yards for a touchdown but it was not allowed as time was being taken out. The game ended with the ball within five yards of the M. I. T. goal.

The line up was as follows:

AMHERST.	M. I. T.
Ballantine, l. e.	r. e. Richardson
F. C. Dudley, l. t.	r. t. Danforth
Walker, l. g.	r. g. Ulmer, (Capt.)
Winslow, c.	c. Perkins
W. C. Dudley, r. g.	l. g. { McDonald
Elam, r. t.	l. t. Heckle
Howard, r. e.	l. e. Stebbins
Pratt, q. b.	q. b. Clifford
Kendall, l. h. b.	r. h. b. { Morse
Whitney, r. h. b.	l. h. b. { Emery
Griffin, f. b.	f. b. Nolet

Score—Amherst 8, M. I. T. 6. Touchdowns—Whitney, Griffin, Werner. Goal from touchdown—Nolet. Referee—Locke. Umpire—A. E. Stearns '94. Linesman—Mommers, M. I. T. and Lieut. Wright. Time—first half, 20 minutes; second half, 15 minutes.

AMHERST, 0 ; WESLEYAN, 24.

Amherst was defeated by Wesleyan, Wednesday at Meriden, Ct., chiefly through inability to stop the fierce onslaughts of their opponents, and a failure to pierce the heavy Wesleyan line. Amherst was clearly out-classed from start to finish, and only once during the game was Wesleyan's goal in danger, eight yards being the nearest Amherst came to scoring. During the first half Amherst

played a good offensive game, the backs making repeated gains, but in the second the team was completely at the mercy of their opponents. Whitney, who was playing his first game as captain of the Amherst team played a very plucky game, several times being almost compelled to leave the field because of injuries. Kendall at half played well and made good gains. The Young brothers, Wesleyan's ends, proved barriers to all rushes that came their way and were largely responsible for Amherst's not scoring. Raymond, Rymer and Lane filled their positions well and made gain after gain through Amherst's line. A forty yard run of Rymer's was the longest of the game.

Amherst won the toss and took the choice of goals. Raymond kicked off to Griffin, who returned the ball 30 yards by a punt. Raymond caught the ball and made 25 yards before being downed. A fumble by Rymer gave Godfrey the ball, and Amherst made the requisite five yards in three downs through the tackles. Kendall fumbled the ball, but it was regained by Ballantine. Griffin was forced to kick on the third down, and punted 30 yards. Dodds, backed up by good interference, returned the ball 30 yards around Amherst's left end, covering the entire distance of Griffin's punt. Rymer made a five yard gain around the same end and Raymond was pushed through the line for another gain of five yards. Dawson then fumbled and Arthur Young fell on the ball and secured it. Amherst then rallied and held Wesleyan for four downs, and Amherst received the leather on her 25 yard line. From here by continual gains around the right end and through the tackles and center, the ball was carried by Amherst's backs to the Wesleyan 10 yard line, but here Wesleyan took a big brace and took the ball on four downs, and Amherst's opportunity of scoring was lost. With apparently little difficulty Rymer, Raymond and Dodds made large gains around the ends and through the line, carrying the pig-skin nearly the whole length of the gridiron. Sibley made a five-yard gain by a guard play and Raymond once went through the line for 25 yards. Amherst partially rallied when near her goal, but did not succeed in holding Wesleyan. Raymond made the first touchdown on the fourth down, a few moments before time was called. Raymond kicked an easy goal. Score, Wesleyan 6, Amherst 0. Griffin kicked off to Rymer, who lost head-way by a fumble. An off-side play by Wesleyan gave Amherst the ball. Kendall was



tackled behind the line and thus lost four yards. Time was called with the ball on Wesleyan's 20 yard line.

During the second half Amherst offered very little resistance. Wesleyan's backs went around the ends and through the line almost at will. Three touchdowns were scored and three goals kicked. Raymond caught the ball on Griffin's kick off and advanced it 50 yards before being downed. Short gains were then made by the Wesleyan backs through the line. The advance down the field was checked for a short time by the ball being given to Amherst for an off side play. The ball was advanced by Amherst ten yards when Griffin made a fumble while kicking, the punt going only 10 yards. A series of plays by Townsend, Dodds, Raymond and Rymer brought the ball to Amherst's five yard line. Here by good defensive work Amherst held Wesleyan for four downs. Griffin was forced to punt and the ball went 40 yards. On the return, Dodds made 20 yards. The Amherst line was then steadily pushed down the field and Raymond was sent around right end for a touchdown. The goal was kicked by Raymond. Score: Wesleyan 12, Amherst 0.

Rymer caught the ball on the kick off and carried it 20 yards. Raymond ran around Amherst's left end for a gain of 10 yards. Wesleyan then ploughed through the Amherst line, occasionally using the guard play most effectively. Another touchdown, was made by Townsend. Goal kicked by Raymond. Score, Wesleyan 18, Amherst 0.

Raymond retired and Lane took his place. Pratt was substituted at quarterback and Foster played Whitney's position. After Wesleyan obtained the ball on the kick off, her backs made long gains through the line and around the ends, not losing the ball until Rymer scored another touchdown. Sibley kicked the goal. Score, Wesleyan 24, Amherst 0. When time was called the ball was in the middle of the field.

The line up:—

WESLEYAN.	AMHERST.
Arthur Young l. e.	r. e. Godfrey
Yale l. t.	r. t. Elam
Townsend l. g.	r. g. W. C. Dudley
Bartlett c.	c. Winslow
Sibley r. g.	l. g. Walker
Williams r. t.	l. t. F. C. Dudley
Archie Young (capt.) r. e.	l. e. Ballantine
Davison q. b.	q. b. { Pratt Foster
Raymond } l. h. b.	r. h. b. { Foster Whitney
Lane }	
Rymer r. h. b.	l. h. b. Kendall
Dodds f. b.	f. b. Griffin

Umpire—Lake. Referee—Ransom. Linesmen—Kelly of Wesleyan, Lewis of Amherst. Time—20 minute halves.

#### OUR RIVALS.

Notwithstanding the big score that the University of Pennsylvania made against Dartmouth last Saturday the supporters of the green are confident of success in the triangular league series. The high score of 34 to 0 was not entirely due to the weakness of the Dartmouth team, but to the exceptionally good playing of the Quakers. McAndrew, Crolius, Putnam and Cavanaugh distinguished themselves by their individual work. Pennsylvania players easily broke through the Dartmouth line and made long gains. Press notices from Hanover state that the eleven is very strong on the aggressive. The interference is fairly good and the backs are good runners. But the defensive work is not up to what it ought to be. The line will be strengthened by the presence of Oakes '99, who has received the consent of his parents to play.

Williams in the game with Lehigh last Saturday showed no improvement. The teams were evenly matched and Lehigh won by kicking a goal from the field. Lehigh, although lighter, played by far a sharper game. Williams' backs and right end were weak. Chadwell at left end played a good game.

#### FOOTBALL CAPTAIN.

The football team on Monday elected Herbert P. Whitney '99, of Toledo, O., temporary captain in the place of Charles K. Arter '98, resigned. Captain Whitney is 20 years old, five feet, nine inches tall and weighs 175 pounds. He was half back on the Toledo High school eleven for three years, being captain in his senior year. He was substitute half on the Amherst '94 team and held that position regularly on the '95 team. Last fall he was not in College, being engaged in business at home.

#### GAMES NEXT WEEK.

Next Wednesday Amherst plays Wesleyan on Pratt Field. On that day an opportunity is given for retrieving the defeat at Meriden. A hard game is expected, and Amherst should at least hold Wesleyan down to a small score. A year ago Amherst won the home game from Wesleyan by a score of 6 to 4.

A week from to-day Amherst plays her last practice game of the season with Trinity at Hartford. Last year Trinity defeated Amherst on Pratt Field by a score of 12 to 0.

#### FOOTBALL NOTES.

In eight football games this year Pennsylvania has scored 292 points.

Dartmouth plays Princeton, Oct. 30.

The seating capacity of Yale field for the Yale-Princeton game will be 18,000.

Princeton has cancelled the games with Williams, Union, Washington and Jefferson by request of these colleges.

Harris, formerly substitute tackle on the Brown varsity eleven, has been elected captain of the Boston University team.

Harvard defeated West Point by the score of 10 to 0 but had a hard struggle to make even this score. It was the hardest game that either team had played this year.

Wharton, last year's Pennsylvania captain, played on the Orange A. C. against the N. J. A. C. Saturday.

Sands and Callahan, formerly of Amherst, played a strong game for the Newton A. C. against Yale Saturday.

With the score 4 to 0 against them, and five seconds to play, Halliday won the game for Bates against the University of Maine by a goal from the field.

The Carlisle Indians started to play a rough game against Princeton Saturday, but the Tigers reciprocated with the result that two Indians and two Princeton men were ruled off the field for slugging.

The Chicago Athletic association football team will make a western trip this winter.

The Cornell coaches have ordered secret practice for the team.

The dates of the Yale-Harvard and Yale-Princeton freshmen football games will be as follows; Nov. 10, Yale 1901 and Princeton 1901, at Yale field; Nov. 20, Yale 1901 and Harvard 1901, at Cambridge.

Among the games scheduled for to-day are Dartmouth vs. Bowdoin at Hanover, Yale vs. Carlisle Indians, Wesleyan vs. Williams at Middletown, Ct., Cornell vs. Princeton at Ithaca and Tufts vs. West Point at West Point.

#### UNDERGRADUATE MEMORIAL TO PRESIDENT WALKER.

The committee appointed last January at a mass meeting of the students of M. I. T. to raise funds and make arrangements for a memorial bust of President Walker have secured the required sum, \$1,200. This sum has been subscribed entirely by the undergraduates.



## BASEBALL AVERAGES.

## BATTING AVERAGES.

NAME.	College.	Rank.	Games.	Positions.	At Bat.	Runs.	Base Hits.	Sacrifice Hits.	Stolen Bases.	Average.
Drew	D	1	8	c.	31	6	13	0	3	.419
Folsom	D	2	8	2b.	40	9	14	0	7	.350
McCornack	D	3	8	l.f.	40	11	13	0	10	.325
Crolius	D	4	8	s.s.	38	5	12	0	6	.316
Tabor	D	5	8	p.	32	8	10	0	5	.313
Heffernan	W	6	8	s.s.	34	3	10	2	3	.294
Sullivan	A	7	8	c.	39	3	11	0	0	.282
Dewey	W	8	8	c.f.	36	3	10	1	2	.278
Rowe	D	9	4	c.f., lb.	15	0	4	0	0	.267
Goodrich	W	10	8	lb.	35	5	9	0	3	.257
Doughty	W	11	8	l.f.	36	4	9	0	0	.250
Ross	W	12	8	c.	27	6	6	0	6	.222
Tinker	A	13	8	r.f.	28	2	6	0	2	.214
Hodgkins, L.	D	14	8	3b.	33	4	7	2	1	.212
Johnston	A	15	6	p.	24	2	5	1	1	.208
Drysdale	W	16	8	3b.	34	5	7	0	7	.206
Ashton	W	17	8	2b.	36	3	7	0	6	.194
Fletcher	A	18	7	3b.	31	6	6	0	2	.194
Seaver	W	19	8	r.f.	32	3	6	0	2	.188
Hodgkins, W.	D	20	6	c.f.	24	3	4	0	4	.167
Gregory	A	21	8	c.f., ss.	38	5	6	1	6	.158
Foster	A	22	8	l.f.	28	6	4	1	3	.143
Plunkett	W	23	8	p.	30	2	4	0	0	.133
Kellogg	A	24	8	2b.	34	7	4	1	5	.118
Thompson	A	25	7	3b., ss.	27	2	3	0	1	.111
Adams	D	26	8	r.f.	32	2	3	2	1	.094
Putnam	D	27	6	r.f., lb.	26	3	2	0	3	.077
Ottersen	A	28	5	lb.	16	1	3	1	0	.063

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Boyden	A	1	3	p., lb.	9	1	2	0	0	.222
Watson	D	1	2	lb.	9	1	2	0	0	.222
DeWitt	A	3	3	c.f., 3b.	9	0	1	0	0	.111
Tyler	A	4	3	lb.	13	2	1	0	0	.077
Davis	W	5	3	r.f., c.	5	1	0	0	1	.000
Edwards	W	5	1	r.f.	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Blake	A	5	1	p.	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Morse	A	5	1	3b.	1	0	0	0	0	.000

## TEAM BATTING.

COLLEGE.	Rank.	At Bat.	Runs.	Base Hits.	Sacrifice Hits.	Stolen Bases.	Average.
Dartmouth.	1	320	52	84	4	40	.263
Williams.	2	306	35	68	4	30	.222
Amherst.	3	298	39	50	4	20	.168

## TEAM FIELDING.

COLLEGE.	Rank.	Put Outs.	Assists.	Errors.	Average.
Williams.	1	239	88	34	.906
Amherst.	2	229	117	44	.887
Dartmouth.	3	225	93	44	.876

## FIELDING AVERAGES.

## PITCHERS.

NAME.	COLLEGE.	Rank.	Games.	Put Outs.	Assists.	Errors.	Average.
Johnston	Amherst.	1	6	0	20	0	1.000
Tabor	Dartmouth.	2	8	4	21	1	.962
Plunkett	Williams.	3	8	1	20	4	.840

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Boyden	Amherst.	1	2	1	2	1	.750
Blake	Amherst.	2	1	0	0	0	.000

## CATCHERS.

Ross	Williams.	1	8	65	11	1	.987
Sullivan	Amherst.	2	8	42	18	2	.968
Drew	Dartmouth.	3	8	65	14	6	.929

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Davis	Williams.	1	1	0	0	0	.000
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## FIRST BASEMEN.

Goodrich	Williams.	1	8	74	0	5	.937
Ottersen	Amherst.	2	5	52	2	4	.931

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Boyden	Amherst.	1	1	9	0	0	1.000
Putnam	Dartmouth.	1	3	24	1	0	1.000
Tyler	Amherst.	1	3	27	1	0	1.000
Watson	Dartmouth.	4	2	18	1	1	.950
Rowe	Dartmouth.	5	3	21	0	3	.875

## SECOND BASEMEN.

Ashton	Williams.	1	8	19	21	3	.930
Kellogg	Amherst.	2	8	31	20	10	.836
Folsom	Dartmouth.	3	8	32	12	9	.830

## THIRD BASEMEN.

Hodgkins, L.	Dartmouth.	1	8	13	17	4	.882
Drysdale	Williams.	2	8	23	12	6	.854
Fletcher	Amherst.	3	7	6	9	7	.682

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Thompson	Amherst.	1	1	2	3	0	1.000
DeWitt	Amherst.	1	1	0	1	0	1.000
Morse	Amherst.	3	1	0	0	1	.000

## SHORTSTOPS.

Thompson	Amherst.	1	7	13	26	7	.848
Heffernan	Williams.	2	8	14	18	8	.800
Crolius	Dartmouth.	3	8	18	23	14	.745

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Gregory	Amherst.	1	2	1	7	1	.889
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## LEFT FIELDERS.

McCornack	Dartmouth.	1	8	11	1	2	.857
Foster	Amherst.	2	8	13	4	3	.850
Doughty	Williams.	2	8	17	0	3	.850

## CENTER FIELDERS.

Dewey	Williams.	1	8	17	5	3	.880
Gregory	Amherst.	2	8	22	3	7	.781
Hodgkins, W.	Dartmouth.	3	6	10	0	3	.769

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Rowe	Dartmouth.	1	1	1	0	0	1.000
DeWitt	Amherst.	2	2	1	0	1	.500
Putnam	Dartmouth.	3	2	0	0	0	.000

## RIGHT FIELDERS.

Tinker	Amherst.	1	8	9	1	0	1.000
Seaver	Williams.	1	8	8	1	0	1.000
Adams	Dartmouth.	3	8	7	3	1	.909

## LESS THAN FOUR GAMES.

Putnam	Dartmouth.	1	1	1	0	0	1.000
Davis	Williams.	2	2	1	0	1	.500

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## FOOTBALL SCORES.

Oct. 16.—U. of P. 34—Dartmouth 0.
Princeton 18—Carlisle Indians 0.
Trinity 16—Hamilton 0.
Harvard 10—West Point 0.
Syracuse 6—Colgate 0.
Yale 10—Newton A. C. 0.
Annapolis 10—U. of P. Reserves 0.
Lehigh 5—Williams 0.
Brown 24—Wesleyan 12.
Washington and Jefferson 24—Pittsburg 0.
Hobart 22—Elmira A. C. 0.
Tufts 18—Bowdoin 6.
Bates 5—U. of Mich. 4.
Lafayette 4—Cornell 4.
Yale Freshmen 12—Worcester High School 0.
Harvard Freshmen 10—Exeter 4.
Swarthmore 8—Rutgers 6.

## INTERCLASS BASEBALL.

The Juniors and Freshmen will play on Pratt Field this afternoon for the baseball championship of the College and the Tyler banner. The game to-day promises to be an interesting and exciting contest, as both classes have good teams.

## INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS.

The finals in the intercollegiate tennis tournament at New Haven resulted as follows: In singles, Thomson of Princeton defeated Forbes of Harvard 6-8, 6-1, 6-3, 5-7, and 7-5; in doubles, Whitman and Ware of Harvard defeated Ward and Davis, also of Harvard, 8-6, 7-5, 9-7.

## JUNIOR HISTORY THESES.

The Juniors taking History have been given subjects for theses as follows:

- 1, The First Man.
- 2, Influence of Physical Conditions on History.
- 3, Battle of Hastings.
- 4, Comparison of Attila and Alaric.
- 5, Rome Superseded as Capital by Constantinople.
- 6, Conversion of Constantine.
- 7, Spread of Christianity due to Persecution.
- 8, Barbarians in the Fourth Century.
- 9, Why did the Western Roman Empire Fall?
- 10, The Popes until 476.
- 11, Battle of Chalons.
- 12, Battle of Tours.

Theses are due Nov. 10, and must contain at least 1500 words each.

## NEW FRENCH BOOKS.

The French literature which the faculty authorized Professor Symington to purchase in Paris has arrived and will soon appear on the shelves of the library. The list consists of 400 volumes covering a large range of subjects. There are works of history, philosophy, science, and poetry, essays, novels, etc. among them. Some of the volumes are bound in sheepskin and others in cloth. They represent the leading French authors of the present century in all lines of literature. Among them are Lamartine, Taine, Victor Hugo, Balzac, Bernadin de Saint Pierre, F. Broutiers, Loti, F. Augier, and A. De Vigny. There are the complete works of but few of the writers but the most noted works of a large number of authors are on the list.

## JUNIOR PROMENADE COMMITTEE.

Herbert M. Messinger, chairman of the Junior Promenade, has selected the following committee: Charles I. DeWitt of Montclair, N. J., Walter H. Griffin of Brooklyn, N. Y., Alfred C. Henderson of Brooklyn, N. Y. and Frank B. Orvis of Pontiac, Mich.

## SECRETARY CLARK'S HOURS.

Secretary Clark has arranged to be at the Y. M. C. A. room each day at the following hours:

- Monday, 8-45—9-00 A. M.; 1-30—2-00, 5-00—6-00, 6-45—7-00 P. M.  
 Tuesday, 1-30—2-00, 5-00—6-00, 6-45—7-45 P. M.  
 Wednesday, 1-30—2-00, 5-00—6-00, 6-45—8-00 P. M.  
 Thursday, 5-00—6-00 P. M.  
 Friday, 5-00—6-00, 6-45—8-00 P. M.  
 Saturday, 8-45—9-30 A. M.; 5-00—6-00, 6-45—8-00 P. M.

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THE STUDENT address list issued this week from the Registrar's office is a welcome innovation. It will save much inconvenience and will, we have no doubt, be worth far more than the cost of publishing it. It is complete and satisfactory in every respect and we hope that it will become a permanent institution.

WE are glad to notice the effort which is being made by the Freshmen to form a Glee Club from members of their class. The movement is a good one, not only as a manifestation of class spirit along a line which is to be commended, but also as a means of developing men for the club which shall represent the College on extended trips in the next few years. We understand that the class has received encouragement from the trainer of the Glee Club and that there is prospect of a strong club being formed in the near future. We heartily wish the members of the class success in their venture.

THE STUDENT wishes to thank those alumni who have taken sufficient interest in its columns to send contributions of articles of interest and value to other alumni and to the undergraduates. We realize that some personal inconvenience is necessitated by

this but we hope that the added interest which these articles give to the alumni columns will fully repay any effort on the part of the alumni contributing. We also wish to thank those members of the faculty who aid us in giving information to our competitors and who take a personal interest in our prosperity. It is only by the hearty coöperation of alumni, faculty and undergraduates, that we can hope for the best success.

IN looking forward to senior electives for the winter term why would it not be possible for the College to offer an elective in library work? The list of available electives is none too large and a course in Library Economy, or even a laboratory method of prescribed reading, would open up an entirely new field of study. Such a course as the one suggested could not fail to be of practical service to all who cared to elect the work. Amherst has a well equipped library of over 65000 volumes and a librarian who is accepted as an authority in Bibliography. There are certainly men in the upper classes who would appreciate the suggested elective and it is altogether probable that arrangements could be made with the Librarian whereby such a course might be offered.

THE STUDENT has before made mention of the unreliability of the daily press in reference to Amherst affairs, yet such absolutely false statements are constantly being made, that we feel it our duty not to let them pass unnoticed. The statement recently in the editorial columns of one of the largest Boston dailies was so untrue as to be almost ludicrous, yet in the world at large where the facts of the case are unknown such items are sure to do the College great harm. Amherst during the past year has received more than her share of newspaper notoriety, so much that now every opportunity is taken to present the College in an unfavorable light. Any such attempt at witticism as appeared in the *Herald* of last Sunday should meet with the unqualified disapproval of both the alumni and undergraduates.

WE wish to call the attention of the College to the contest for positions on the staff of THE STUDENT which is now in progress and which closes with the elections at the end of the winter term. The competition thus far has on the whole been unsatisfactory. We want to see more hustling on the part of the competitors and an improvement in the quality of the work submitted. There

seems to be a feeling on the part of some members of the College that almost any kind of work will answer for THE STUDENT, that a certain number of men will be given positions on the Board and that quality of work does not count. Other men seem to think the positions are not worth trying for. Both of these ideas are entirely wrong. THE STUDENT aims to represent to our alumni and to the outside world the exact state of affairs at Amherst and in order to do this it must have the help of the best writers in the College. The welfare of the paper demands that the Board be renewed each year with able and enthusiastic men and if men do not compete there is no way of finding out who are the ablest. It is not too late to begin work and we would urge upon members of the junior and sophomore classes especially, that they at once enter the competition for places on next year's Board. Five men will be chosen, two from the junior class, two from the sophomore class and one from the freshman class. A man's ability to fill a position on the Board will be judged from his contributions, quantity and quality of work being considered.

## CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, Oct. 23.—Baseball on Pratt Field at 2-00 P. M., '99 vs. 1901.

SUNDAY, Oct. 24.—Preaching in the College Church at 10-45 A. M., by Prof. Benjamin Ide Wheeler of Cornell University.—Communion service at 4-00 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 27.—Football game on Pratt Field, Wesleyan vs. Amherst.

SATURDAY, Oct. 30.—Football game, Amherst vs. Trinity, at Hartford.

## OFFICIAL NOTICE.

All golf tournament scores must be handed to the treasurer of the golf club by this evening. All members of the club who wish to purchase balls or clubs and secure club discount on the same are requested to leave their names with the secretary at once.

L. C. MERRELL.

## RELIGIOUS NOTES.

Professor Genung led the freshman Bible class last Sunday morning in place of President Gates.

Prof. Benjamin Ide Wheeler of Cornell University will preach at the College Church to-morrow morning. In the evening he will address the Y. M. C. A. The communion service will be led by Professor Neill.



The 21 annual state convention of Y. M. C. A.'s. will be held at Worcester, Oct. 28 to 31. Four delegates will go from the College Church, Secretary Clark, H. P. Kendall '99, F. P. Young 1900, and E. H. Smith '98. Kendall will read a paper on "How the College Associations Can Best Utilize Their Energies."

At a meeting of the Hampshire East Conference of Congregational churches held with the Granby church Tuesday, Rev. G. E. Fisher '46, was elected moderator. Devotional exercises were led by Rev. E. C. Winslow '70 and Rev. J. F. Gleason '71, gave a talk on "Keswick Teaching." Librarian Fletcher gave an address on "How to Spiritualize the Home Through the Sunday School."

## BIBLE CLASSES.

'98. Life of Paul. Leader—Secretary Clark. Y. M. C. A. Room.

'99. Study of Old Testament Characters. Leader—Dr. P. C. Phillips. Latin Room, Williston Hall.

1900. The Life of Paul. Leader—F. Q. Blanchard '98. College Church.

The subject for the freshman class prayer meeting at 5-30 P. M. to-morrow will be Putting Religion in Our Daily Tasks. I Kings 7: 13,14; Acts 18: 1-4. Leader—Geo. M. Bartlett.

The preparatory lecture by Professor Frink was given at the regular mid-week prayer meeting on Thursday evening. At the close of the service several announced their intention of uniting with the College Church to-morrow.

The mission study class will meet in the Y. M. C. A. Room this evening at 7 o'clock.

## IN BRIEF.

The junior class in Physics will be examined next Thursday.

C. DeCoster of St. Paul, Minn., has entered the freshman class.

Thomas Evans ex-'98, Yale '98, was in town visiting friends last week.

The golf links at Smith College have been laid out on a farm near Florence.

F. H. Foster Jr. '99 has been taken to the training table at the Amherst House.

Assistant Librarian Dickinson has been confined at home by illness this last week.

The Glee club will assist in an entertainment at the Congregational church, Oct. 27.

Professor Genung is revising his "Practical Rhetoric" preparatory to a new edition.

The football team with substitutes had their picture taken Monday afternoon by Lovell.

W.B. Mahony '98, read an essay on Charles Lamb before the senior literature class Thursday.

Rice's Comedians will play at the Academy of Music, Northampton during the coming week.

The total amount realized from the sale of seats for the Union Lecture course thus far is \$500.

Several students saw Joseph Jefferson play at the Court Square Theatre in Springfield, Wednesday evening.

Cars are now running regularly over the East street extension. A new time table will soon go into effect.

It is announced that Prof. James M. Crafts will succeed the late Francis A. Walker as the president of M. I. T.

Topics for theses have been given to those who take junior Latin. They will be read in class on Friday, Oct. 29.

Miss Mynter '99 has been elected leader and Miss Kennard '98 manager and treasurer of the Smith College Banjo club.

Although the measurements of the freshmen have all been taken, the statistics will not be ready for at least two weeks.

The senior class elections postponed from last evening on account of the Delta Upsilon convention will be held this evening at eight o'clock.

Regular exercises in Declamation for the freshman class will begin Nov. 2. Rehearsals have already been started in the different divisions.

The new football suits have arrived. They are about the same as last year, consisting of mole-skin pants and jackets, jerseys, stockings and shoes.

A group picture of the *Literary Monthly* board was taken at Lovell's studio Tuesday. THE STUDENT board of editors had their picture taken Thursday.

The last examinations for the entrance prizes were held Wednesday afternoon. The announcement of the successful competitors will probably be made next week.

The Cider Meet medals distributed Wednesday are a great improvement over those given last year. The medal is in the form of a wreath hung on a purple and white ribbon and having the letter A raised on a purple star in the center, surrounded by 1897 C. A. A. in engraving.

Spalding's design of a blue cap with the figures 1900 worked in white has been accepted by the members of the class who had hands on the cane at the last rush.

At a meeting of the senior class of Smith College last Saturday afternoon Miss Daskam of Stamford, Ct. was elected ivy orator and Miss Ahearn of Springfield class historian.

Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd spoke to the Cantaligia club of Cambridge last Friday evening. Her subject was "Japanese Art." After the talk a reception and tea was given in her honor.

President Gates was scheduled to be one of the principal speakers at the Y. M. C. A.'s convention at Worcester, Oct. 29 to 31 inclusive, but he will be unable to keep the appointment.

The golf tournament has been in progress during this week, and the preliminary rounds will soon be finished, when the men holding the eight highest scores will compete for the championship.

Librarian Fletcher is to speak on the subject "The Educational Work of the Free Public Libraries" at a meeting of the Connecticut Valley Congregational club to be held at South Hadley, Oct. 25.

Extensive changes are being made in the stack room of the Library. A large number of books are being transferred from the second to the fifth floor in order to allow more room for the magazine files.

The annual meeting of the Amherst Indian association was held last Wednesday in the parlors of the First Congregational church. A report of the Lake Mohonk conference was given by President Gates.

President Gates presided at the annual meeting of the American Missionary meeting at Minneapolis, Minn., the past week. Thursday evening he gave the closing address on the subject, "The Educating of the American Citizen."

The Springfield *Republican* in its Saturday's issue, published a photograph of Photographer Lovell of Amherst, well known to the student body. An account of Mr. Lovell's connection with Prof. D. P. Todd's observations from the Lick Observatory in California was given.

A second fund for the Pratt Health Cottage has been given by Mrs. Emily Clark Stearns, the wife of F. W. Stearns '78 and the daughter of Dr. W. S. Clark who was professor of Chemistry and Natural History from 1858 to 1867, and was later president of the Massachusetts Agricultural College.

The Alpha Province Convention of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity will take place at Providence, R. I., October 28 to 30. The delegates representing the chapters in New England and New York will be guests of the Rhode Island Alpha of Brown University. C. A. Strong '98 will represent the Amherst chapter.

In connection with the communication in the last week's *STUDENT* from Dr. Carleton '78 who is laboring among the lepers in India, it is hoped that some contributions will soon be made to the work. Professor Cowles has just received a photograph of the colony which he will gladly show to any who are interested.

Several Springfield citizens are contemplating organizing a class for the purpose of having Professor Richardson deliver a course of lectures on Faust in that city the coming winter. The Springfield *Republican* of Monday, in connection with the report of the proposed club, published a deserved tribute to Professor Richardson.

The pamphlet recently issued by the Registrar shows a total registration of 368 in all departments. The senior class has 90 men, the junior 94, the sophomore 85, and the freshman 99. Three hundred and sixty-two students come from different parts of the United States and the remaining six from foreign countries; three from Turkey, two from Japan and one from India.

The third annual meeting of the Hampshire County Teachers' association was held in the Town Hall, Friday of last week. Many of the visiting teachers availed themselves of the opportunity to visit the college buildings. Rev. E. C. Winslow '70 conducted the devotional exercises and an address on "History and Teaching of Mathematics" was given by Professor Olds.

Among the lectures to be given in a course on the general subject of "The Modern Bible" at the First church, Springfield, this winter, will be several by Amherst professors. Nov. 7, Professor Tyler will speak on the topic, "The Bible and Nature;" Nov. 14, Professor Genung on "Israel, from the Exile to the Advent;" and Nov. 28, President Gates on "The Bible and the Art of Right Living."

#### ASSISTANT BASEBALL MANAGER.

At a meeting of the College held directly after chapel Friday morning, October 15, Charles E. Mitchell of Chelsea, was elected assistant baseball manager for the ensuing year.

#### TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

The tennis tournament for the championship of the College in singles was finished Wednesday night up to the final round between J. S. Johnston '98 and F. W. Goddard '98. On Wednesday afternoon Johnston won the first set of the final watch by a score of 6 to 4, and the second set stood 5 to 4 in favor of Goddard, when Johnston injured his foot and play was discontinued. The results of the tournament not previously published are as follows:

Second round, Gregory '98 defeated Fisher 1901 6-8, 6-4, 6-0; Third round, Johnston '98 defeated Wilkins 1900, 6-4, 6-2, Messenger '99 defeated Gregory '98, 0-6, 6-4, 6-3; Goddard '98 defeated Crapo 1900, 6-2, 6-2.

Matches in doubles have resulted as follows:

Preliminary round, Whitney '99 and Fisher 1901 defeated C. F. Merrill '99 and Tyler '98 6-4, 6-1: First round, Johnston '98 and Flichtner 1900 defeated Bedford '99 and Atkinson '99 6-3, 6-4.

#### SENIOR DEBATES.

Four of the senior debates have been given this past week, the subjects for the two divisions being the same. The two questions for discussion were as follows: "Should Educated Men use their Influence for the General Adoption of Phonetic Spelling?" Affirmative, Blossom, Collins; negative, Clapp, Bryant. It was won by the negative. "Are we helped more by the Attainment of Truth than by the Search?" Affirmative, Conant; negative, Blanchard. The debate was won by the negative.

On Tuesday the disputants on the first question were: Affirmative, Woodward, Hayward; negative, Marsh, Stackman. The negative side won. On the second question: Affirmative, Strong; negative, Tyler. The affirmative won.

#### BICYCLE RACE.

The bicycle race postponed from the athletic meet Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 13, because of the inability to procure a sanction from the L. A. W., was held on Pratt Field, Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. There were four contestants: R. M. Crannell 1900, F. A. Morris 1900, S. W. Wells 1900 and H. R. French '99. The race was finished in the order named above, in the slow time of 3 min., 7 3-4 sec. This gives the sophomores nine more points, making the final number of points 1901, 61; 1900, 42; '99, 41 and gives them second place in the meet.

#### MEMORIAL TO PRESIDENT FRANCIS A. WALKER.

One of the most distinguished gatherings that has assembled in Boston for several years was that in Music Hall, Oct. 14. It had as its object, to honor the memory of Gen. Francis A. Walker '60. The hall was crowded with students and citizens. There were also present many delegates from different colleges and learned societies.

The delegates from Amherst College were Dr. Hitchcock, Professor Emerson, Professor Neill, Professor Todd, Professor Kimball, Professor Olds and Professor Cowles. Sigma chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon, of which General Walker was a member, was represented by George K. Bird '97 and Allan H. Wilde '97. Among the Amherst alumni present were Rev. S. E. Herrick '59, Rev. Judson Smith '59, M. F. Dickinson '62, Prof. Joseph H. Sawyer '65, Prof. Richmond Mayo-Smith '75, and Prof. R. S. Woodward '81. An address was given by Governor Wolcott and the oration of the evening by Senator Hoar, who spoke of General Walker's ancestry, his character as a soldier, his service in public office, his presidency of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and his character as an economist.

#### THE FRESHMAN GLEE CLUB.

Under the direction of Professor Bigelow the freshman class has organized a glee club. A manager and leader will be chosen and rehearsals will commence soon. There is a possibility that concerts will be given outside of Amherst toward the last of the year. Of the 30 men whose voices were tried, the following were chosen by Professor Bigelow from whom the club will be chosen: First tenors—Ballantine, Houghton, Dyer, Morgan; second tenors—Barnum, Bartlett, J. M. Clark, W. M. Clark, H. S. Moore, Rockwell; first basses—Clutia, Herrick, Hunt, Merrell, Robertson, Story; second basses—Couch, Davis, Keller, Kittredge, Zimmerman. Later this number will be reduced to sixteen.

#### BANJO AND MANDOLIN CLUBS.

The Banjo Club is holding rehearsals three times a week under the direction of Messenger '99, preparatory to the joint concert of the Amherst and Princeton Glee clubs at Northampton, Nov. 18. F. B. Orvis '99, the leader of the Mandolin Club is expected to return to College next week.



## DEDICATION OF YERKES OBSERVATORY.

Professor Todd left Amherst on Tuesday to attend the dedication exercises of the new Yerkes Observatory at the University of Chicago. The preliminary exercises began on Monday and lasted until Thursday morning. On each of these nights observations of the heavens were made by new and especially prepared instruments. The dedication proper began on Thursday when a special train left Chicago at 8-30 A. M. for Williams Bay, Wis., where the observatory is situated. The opening address was delivered at 11 A. M. by Professor Kellar, director of the Alleghany Observatory, his subject being the "New Astronomy." Following this a tour of inspection of the observatory was made, followed by an examination of the new telescope which is 40 inches in diameter and the largest in the world. At 7-30 P. M. Thursday a banquet was tendered the men of science collected in Chicago immediately after the return from Williams Bay. On Friday at 10 A. M. an inspection was made of the new physical laboratory and the other buildings at the University of Chicago. At 3 P. M. the closing address was given by Professor Newcomb of Washington, D. C. in Kent Theatre.

## JUNIOR CLASS WORK.

Professor Sterret's course in junior Greek has been elected by 11 men. They are at present occupied with Homer's Iliad and weekly illustrated lectures on the Trojan Cycle of Myths.

Twelve men are taking Latin under Professor Crowell. They have finished Seneca and are now reading Quintilian. Their next work will be selections from the "Historia Naturalis" of Pliny.

Six Juniors and one Senior have elected junior Mathematics under Professor Olds. They are now studying advanced Analytical Geometry. The text-book used is by Wentworth.

Ninety-one Juniors are taking Physics under Professor Kimball. The class is occupied with Lodge's Mechanics. A number of men have handed in laboratory note books of experiments done in preparatory schools. These men will not have to take laboratory work but must do an equivalent in assigned problems and reading.

Logic and Public Speaking has been elected by 72 men. The class is divided into two sections coming at 10-45 and 11-45 respectively, on Wednesdays, Thursdays and

Fridays. The analysis of orations have been completed and debates are being given now.

Sophomore Biology is being taken by 15 Juniors this year. This makes a very large division and the type-written note-books heretofore furnished free by the department, are being loaned this year instead. A new text-book is in use, "Thompson's Outlines of Zoology."

About 60 men are taking History with Professor Grosvenor. The work has consisted so far principally of lectures.

Fifteen Juniors are taking second year German. The course this fall is the same offered by Professor Richardson in former years.

About a dozen men have elected Chemistry under Professor Harris.

## WILLIAMS ATHLETIC MEET.

The Williams fall athletic meet was held on Weston Field, Oct. 13. The college record for the half mile run was broken in an exhibition run by Bray 1900. Time 2 minutes 4 2-5 seconds. Following is the summary of events:

100 yard dash—won by Patterson 1900; time, 10 2-5 sec.

One mile run—won by Bray 1900; time 5 min. 1 sec.

120 yard hurdle—won by Potter 1901; time 17 sec.

440 yards run—won by Swift 1900; time 53 sec.

One mile bicycle—won by Patterson '99; time 2 min. 49 sec.

220 yard dash—won by Park 1901; time 23 sec.

Broad jump—won by Mason '99; distance 18 ft. 4 in.

High jump—won by Potter 1901; distance, 5 ft. 4 in.

Pole vault—won by Fifer '98; distance 10 ft. 1 in.

Hammer throw—won by Cullinan 1901; distance 79 ft. 3 in.

## AMERICAN BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Amherst alumni have figured prominently in connection with the annual meeting of the American Board of Foreign Missions held at New Haven, Conn. the past week. Rev. Richard S. Storrs '39, of Brooklyn, presided at the sessions. Dr. Storrs declined a reelection as president of the board, and Dr. Charles M. Lamson '64, of Hartford, Conn. was elected to succeed him. Dr. Lamson was born in Hadley, May 16, 1843. After being graduated from Amherst, he became an instructor in Williston Academy. In 1867 he entered the Halle University, Germany, to study for the ministry. His first call to a pastorate was to the Porter Congregational church of Brockton, in 1869. Since

1870 Dr. Lamson has held pastorates in the Salem street church, Worcester, and the North Congregational church, St. Johnsbury, Vt. In 1893 he accepted the call to his present pastorate in Hartford. Dr. Lamson is a member of the board of trustees of Amherst College.

Rev. Dr. George Phillips '61, of Rutland, Vt., led in prayer at the Wednesday evening service. Rev. Dr. Judson Smith '59, foreign secretary of the board, read a paper on "The Success of Christian Missions." G. Henry Whitcomb '64, of Worcester, and Rev. Dr. Michael Burnham '67, of St. Louis, Mo., served on the committee for nominating new members, Dr. Burnham as chairman. Rev. S. E. Herrick '59, of Boston was appointed a member of a committee to consider the proper observance of the approaching 50 anniversary of the martyrdom of Marcus Whitman throughout the Congregational churches in the United States, Nov. 28. Rev. E. C. Ewing '59, of Danvers, presented the report on the Chinese missions and delivered an address on the same subject.

## ALUMNI NOTES.

Among the alumni who were present at the initiations this year were the following:

'63—W. F. Merrill. '64—G. H. Whitcomb. '65—J. L. Bishop, H. M. Tyler. '66—H. V. Pelton. '71—B. J. Rhees. '73—Talcott Williams, L. J. Warner. '77 C. Armstrong. '80—H. P. Field. '81—C. H. Baker. '82—H. S. Bliss. '83—D. B. Howland, R. Rhees. '84—A. E. Alvord, G. P. Eastman, C. E. Kelsey. '85 A. J. Hopkins, E. B. Woodin. '87—N. C. Haskell, G. A. Mirick. '88—C. H. Edwards, J. E. Oldham, P. C. Phillips, A. G. Baker. '89—W. P. Bigelow, A. C. James, J. Chambers, Jr. C. W. Porter, F. E. Spaulding. '90—G. C. Ewing, C. R. Fay. '91—W. E. Nason, H. C. Crocker. '92—H. L. Clark, F. A. Leach, C. E. Hildreth, L. W. Griswold, R. H. Vose, J. S. Cobb, E. D. Pierce. '93—O. H. Story, Alfred Turner. '94—E. W. Capen, H. E. Whitcomb, W. D. Brown, A. E. Stearns. '95—R. E. Prentiss, W. S. Tyler, C. A. Andrews, H. W. Lane, H. D. Frence, R. P. Nichols, E. S. Newton. '96—G. H. Nash, J. H. Gaylord, H. D. Tyler, W. D. Stiger, H. A. Jump, E. W. Bancroft, H. M. Collins, M. D. Dunning, J. Reid, A. C. Eastman, E. F. Sander-son, R. B. Metcalf, W. E. Kimball, J. T. Pratt, G. D. Moulson, T. Elvins, Roberts Walker. '97—A. B. Keep, F. H. Burnham, G. M. Butler, D. G. Burrage, R. P. Esty,



E. T. Esty, R. P. Esty, P. H. Boynton, G. A. Swertfager, H. G. Fletcher, R. S. Fletcher, Isaac Patch, G. M. Butler. J. R. Maxwell, Jr. E. M. Blake, L. E. Fay.

'34.—The *Congregationalist* of Sept. 23 contains an article, "My Recollections at Eighty" by Rev. Samuel H. Emery, Taunton.

'43.—Charles Edward Strong, one of the best known lawyers in New York, died at his home, 16 Fifth Avenue in that city, Oct. 1. Mr. Strong was born in New York in 1824. He graduated from Amherst when 19 years of age. At the age of 21, he was admitted to the bar and began the practice of law in partnership with M. S. Bidwell at 68 Wall Street. In 1878, the law partnership of Strong & Cadwalader was formed, of which Mr. Strong was the senior member at the time of his death. He was a member of the Board of Governors of the New York Hospital and of the Bloomingdale Asylum, and belonged to the Union, Metropolitan, Union League, Century and Players clubs and also to the Downtown Association. Mr. Strong leaves a widow and a married daughter, Mrs. Arthur N. Wellman.

'46.—Rev. G. E. Fisher of North Amherst is supplying the pulpit of the Leverett Congregational church for a few Sundays.

#### SEVENTY.

Charles E. Dudley of Providence son of W. A. Dudley '70 was married on Thursday, Sept. 25, to Miss Harriet E. Nourse of Marlboro. The wedding was held at the residence of the groom's father in Providence. F. C. Dudley 1900 and W. C. Dudley 1901 were ushers.

Rev. C. H. Daniels, secretary of the home department, read the report of the prudential committee before the meeting of American Board of Foreign Missions on Tuesday Oct. 12. This report showed that more missionaries had been sent to the field this year than last.

'74.—William F. Slocum Jr., president of Colorado College, was given a reception on Sept. 30, in honor of his refusal of the invitation to become president of Oberlin College. The reception was given at the Antlers, the fashionable hotel at Colorado Springs, and was attended by fully 3,000 citizens. Resolutions signed by the governor and by Colorado's most prominent citizens were given him in which reference was made to his marked qualifications for the presidency of such an institution of learning and calling to mind the fact that his influence had been felt throughout the state.

'90.—Edwin Duffey is the Democratic and the Independent Republican candidate for district attorney of Cortland county, N. Y.

'91.—Sidney R. Fleet was married to Miss Agnes Fulton Barker, of Lowell, Aug. 18.

#### NINETY-TWO.

William B. Perry of New Bedford, who recently passed the highest examination as candidate for the bar is entirely blind and because of this infirmity has had a remarkable career. After graduating from the Perkins Institute for the Blind, he taught a year using the afternoons for study. He led the class of '92 of Amherst taking several prizes during his course. After graduating he taught two years in Senator Keenie's family in Connecticut. Though blind, he succeeded in getting this position in preference to three of his own classmates, who had also applied for the situation. Mr. Keenie was so well satisfied with his work as a tutor that he offered to pay all his expenses at Harvard and give him also a liberal salary if he would continue the care of son. During his entire course in Harvard Law School, Mr. Perry received "A," the highest rank given and graduated with "cum laude." Though he was somewhat handicapped in his examination by having to dictate to a typewriter to whom he was unaccustomed, he succeeded in easily out-doing his competitors. Mr. Perry's life is a grand example of what is possible for a man to do although he is seriously hampered.

S. C. Fairley is the principal of a young ladies seminary in Canandaigua, N. Y.

N. D. Alexander and Miss Kate Graves Mattoon, both of Northfield, were married at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of Thursday, October 14, in the Unitarian church at Northfield. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander left immediately on a wedding trip of two weeks. They will reside in Northfield on their return. Mr. Alexander was quite an athlete while in college, holding several records for strength tests. His record for the shot put is still unequalled.

#### NINETY-THREE.

Duane H. Nash has entered Harvard Law School.

Oliver H. Story has been elected treasurer and counsel of the J. W. Pearson Co. with headquarters at its New England office, 95 Milk St., Boston. Mr. Story has been acting as counsel for this corporation since January.

Frank D. Blodgett is at the head of the department of Ancient Languages in the Oneonta Normal school, Oneonta, N. Y.

The friends of W. C. Breed will be pleased to know that he has been retained by the receivers of the Murray Hill bank of New York, as their attorney in the place of the late state Senator Mullin. Mr. Breed was formerly a student and then a clerk in the law office of Major Hobbs, one of the receivers and is thoroughly familiar with the details of the business. This means for Mr. Breed an increased salary and evinces the fact that he is one of the most prominent of the younger members of the New York bar.

H. P. Gallinger will remain another year at the University of Jena to pursue his studies in history and political economy.

At a representative convention at Taunton Oct. 9, of the fourth Bristol district, S. D. Reed was renominated for another year in the Massachusetts Legislature. A ratification banquet followed at the City Hotel.

Herman Babson has recently composed two piano selections. The first selection is entitled "Commencement March," and is a very catchy and pleasing two-step dedicated to Amherst College and published by Oliver Ditson Co., Boston. The other selection, entitled "Camp Framingham March," is a spirited military march, dedicated to the Massachusetts Volunteer Militia and published by Miles and Thompson of Boston.

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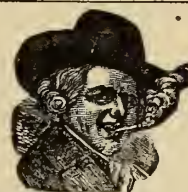
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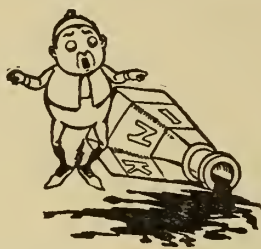
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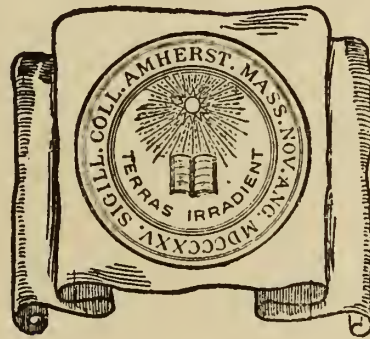
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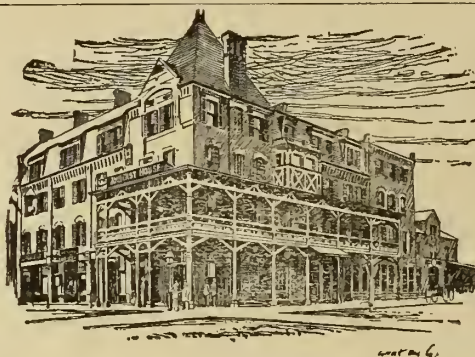
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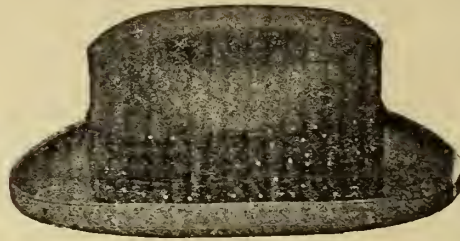
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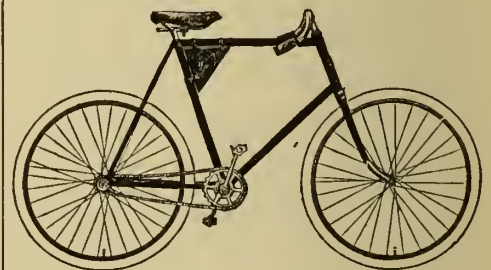
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## THE AMHERST STUDENT.

## FOOTBALL.

AMHERST, 0; WESLEYAN, 14.

Wesleyan defeated Amherst for the second time this season, upon Pratt Field, Wednesday afternoon. The game was characterized by good clean football and by short gains, Whitney's thirty yard run in the first half being the longest. Kendall also made good gains while he was in the game. Wesleyan's trio of backs did fine work and could generally be depended upon to make their gains. Amherst seemed to be especially weak in their ability to catch punts, nearly every one being muffed, though by good luck all were recovered. The recovery was slow in every case. Right tackle and left end seemed to be vulnerable points in Amherst's line, gain after gain coming through these positions. Taking everything into consideration the game showed marked improvement over the preceding ones, and should encourage, rather than discourage us. Wesleyan won the toss, and at three o'clock the opposing elevens lined up.

Raymond kicked-off for Wesleyan and Foster obtained the ball advancing it eight yards. Amherst gained her necessary five yards. Here Wesleyan held for one down, but Whitney went crashing through the line for five yards, and it was first down. Two more gains of two and a half yards each were made, and then Kendall was sent against Wesleyan's line for a slight gain. At this point Wesleyan held and Amherst was forced to punt out of danger. The ball rolled outside under the bleachers but was obtained by Rymer. Two short gains and Wesleyan, in turn, was compelled to punt. The ball was downed on Amherst's twenty eight yard line, but was immediately advanced thirty yards by Whitney's beautiful run. Two yards only could now be gained and Griffin punted, and the Amherst ends by tackling a fair catch lost fifteen yards to Wesleyan. Several repeated gains by Rymer and Raymond brought the ball to Amherst's thirty yard line but it did not stop here. Rymer advanced the pig-skin eight yards, Dodds two, and Rymer again fifteen, bringing the ball to the five yard line. In vain Amherst attempted to defend her goal: three more rushes and Raymond was sent over the line for the first touchdown. The goal was missed. Score, 4-0. Griffin kicked off and Raymond was downed on

Wesleyan's twenty-five yard line. Two gains of three and seven yards followed, and then Amherst held for four downs, and the ball changed hands. Griffin gained one yard, and then after two unsuccessful attempts to pierce Wesleyan's line, punted. Raymond obtained the ball and was downed on the fifteen yard line by Ballantine. After a gain of two and a half yards, Wesleyan was forced to punt, Kendall advanced the ball ten yards, and then came a gain of five yards by Whitney. An interchange of fumbles, followed by a loss of nine yards, forced Amherst to punt and placed the ball in Wesleyan's possession. It was immediately advanced to Amherst's thirty yard line, where a goal from the field was attempted but failed. Foster brought the ball back to the twelve yard line just as time was called.

Griffin opened the second half by kicking to Rymer, who brought the ball back to the thirty-eight yard line. Successive gains and an off side play placed the ball on Amherst's twenty-five yard line. Five yards by Rymer, four and a half by Raymond, and five by Townsend soon placed Amherst's goal in danger. Steady advances followed and Raymond was shoved over the line for a touchdown. Raymond kicked the goal. Score 10-0. Griffin again kicked off to Rymer, who was downed on the twenty-eight yard line. After gains of four and two and a half yards, Wesleyan punted for thirty yards, Foster receiving the ball. Here Burdon was substituted for Kendall. A few short gains were made but Wesleyan finally held for four downs. Griffin punted to the center of the field. Rymer and Raymond then went through Amherst's line for two and three yards gain, until Amherst held, forcing Wesleyan to punt, the ball going to the eighteen yard line. Here Smith was substituted for Griffin and attempted a punt, but it was blocked and Wesleyan obtained the ball on Amherst's eleven yard line. Successive gains followed and Dodds went over for a touchdown. Raymond missed the goal. Score, 14-0. Smith kicked off and the ball was downed on the thirty-five yard line. Being unable to gain Wesleyan punted and Smith captured the ball. Lane was here substituted for Raymond. Short gains and a punt to Wesleyan's forty-five yard line followed. Gains of four and a half, two, and four and a half yards respectively by Lane, Dodds and Rymer followed. Here Kelley substituted Rymer. Lane punted and Foster, obtaining the ball, was downed on the twenty-four yard line, when time was called. The line-up:—

WESLEYAN.	AMHERST.
Arthur Young, l. e.	r. e. Howard
Yale. l. t.	r. t. { Elam St. Clare
Townsend, l. g.	r. g. { W. C. Dudley Elam
Bartlett, c.	c. Winslow
Sibley, r. g.	l. g. Walker
Williams, r. t.	l. t. F. C. Dudley
Archie Young, (capt.) r. e.	l. e. Ballantine
Davison, q. b.	q. b. Foster
Raymond } l. h. b.	r. h. b. Whitney
Lane }	
Rymer } r. h. b.	l. h. b. { Kendall Burdon
Kelly }	
Dodds, f. b.	f. b. { Griffin Smith
Umpire—Lake of Harvard. Referee—Prof. R. E. Smith, M. A. C. Linesmen—Babson, M. A. C and Burdick, Wesleyan. Halves—25 and 20 minutes.	

## OUR RIVALS.

Williams' prospects for a championship team are not so bright as they were a year ago at this time. Lotz, the captain, is playing a good game at right guard, and Chadwell, the colored end, has improved over his playing of last year. The remaining positions in the line have been filled by Seeley and Bieler at center; Rutter and Bristol, right end; Decamp and Williams, right tackle; Eaton and Black, left guard; Simmons and Howard, left tackle. The weak line is responsible for poor defensive work and is unable to furnish good interference for the backs, who are essentially the same as last year. At the beginning of the season Harvard scored 20 points against her and one week later Yale defeated her by a score of 32 to 0. Lehigh, with a team far below her usual standard, defeated Williams by a score of 5 to 0. The game scheduled with Princeton for Oct. 20 was cancelled at Williams' request. Last Saturday Wesleyan defeated Williams, 22 to 0, in a spiritless game, during the second half of which Wesleyan had two substitute backs, a tackle and end playing. Toward the latter part of the game Wesleyan had no trouble in breaking through and blocking kicks. Branch, Denman, Davis, Cottrell and Williams have shown up the best back of the line, and these will, debarring accidents, play on the team in the championship games. Williams plays her last game before meeting Amherst, with Colgate at Williamstown.

At Dartmouth the football practice of the past week has been fruitful of good results. Coach Wurtemberg is encouraged at the marked improvement shown in the team and is of the opinion that Dartmouth prospects for another championship team this year are exceptionally good. Thus far this season in

the games played Dartmouth made her best showing against Harvard, keeping the crimson down to a score of 13 to 0. Several problems confront Dartmouth's captain. The position of center has not yet been filled. Rogers, who promised well, was dropped for breaking training, after which hopes centered in Oakes, the big Junior. A few days of practice convinced Oakes that his physical condition would not permit his playing longer. Since then Turner has been playing the position. MacAndrews, one of the star backs of last year's team has suddenly left college, presumably to coach, but in all probability will turn up for the championship games. In accordance with present indications the line-up in the championship games will be: Center, Turner or Underhill; guards, Walker and Lowe; tackles, Edwards and Putnam; ends, Cavanaugh and Boyle; quarterback, Wentworth; half-backs, Crolus and Capt. Eckstorm; full-back, Stickney or MacAndrews. Dartmouth has a game scheduled with Princeton to-day.

#### SCRUB TEAMS.

The men who compose the second eleven which has faithfully played against the 'varsity ever since practice commenced deserve commendation. The names of those who have mainly composed the second eleven up to the present time are as follows; W. F. and C. F. Merrill and R. C. Smith '99; Butler, Hammond, Wells, Davis, Alden Clark, St. Clare, Burdon and Spining 1900.

Captain Whitney has lately put a plan into operation, which promises to have good results. It is to have two elevens to play against the varsity instead of one. These teams are to be known as the college eleven and the second eleven. Blanchard '98 will captain the second eleven and Righter, 1900, the college eleven. Both elevens will line up against the 'varsity on Mondays and Thursdays, and the second eleven will play Tuesdays, and the college eleven Fridays. Thus, it is hoped that since each man will have to play but three times a week instead of four or five times as formerly, more men and better men will come out and both of the scrub teams will be more efficient than the old second eleven. This plan has been tried during the past week and has worked very satisfactorily. Among the men which this arrangement has brought out are Blanchard, Barkwill, Carmody, Collins, and Foster '98; Righter and Nevins 1900; and Gladwin 1901.

#### CLASS FOOTBALL TEAMS.

Both the freshman and sophomore classes have taken steps during the past week to organize football teams. W. L. Righter has been elected captain of the sophomore eleven and F. R. Fisher of the freshmen eleven. Practice will begin immediately and a game will be arranged between the two classes at an early date. The object of this arrangement is to bring out new material for the varsity, to develop class spirit, and to give those men a chance who would otherwise be unable to play. No varsity men will be allowed on the teams. Other games beside those between the classes will probably be arranged.

#### COMING GAMES.

Amherst plays Trinity at Hartford this afternoon. A year ago Trinity won on Pratt Field by a score of 12 to 0.

The team will play no game on Wednesday. The week will be spent in light practice, preparatory to the championship game with Williams on Pratt Field next Saturday. A detailed account of the arrangements for the game will be published in the next issue of THE STUDENT.

#### FOOTBALL NOTES.

The B. A. A. football team has disbanded. Yale has a coach for every man on the eleven.

The average weight of the Princeton line is 209 pounds.

The Harvard band is practicing in preparation for the Yale game.

Brown meets Harvard, Yale and Pennsylvania within two weeks.

Church, the famous Princeton tackle is coaching at Purdue University.

Lehigh has won two games on the gridiron this season by goals from the field.

In the game with Lafayette Saturday, Pennsylvania missed only one try for goal out of eight chances.

C. R. Rhinehart, Lafayette's big guard and captain, is 21 years old, and is 6 feet 3 inches tall, and weighs 216 pounds.

Bowdoin did not play with Dartmouth as scheduled Saturday, on account of the injuries her team has sustained in recent games.

Cadwalader kicked four goals in the Indian game while Harvard lost six points against Brown through inability to send the ball over the posts.

There is a movement in New York to abolish the goal from a touchdown and it is

said a number of noted players are in favor of the change.

Williston defeated the M. A. C. team last Saturday afternoon by a score of 6 to 4. Righter and Watson 1900, acted as referee and umpire respectively.

Cadwalader, Yale's crack guard, was so badly injured in a practice game Monday that it is feared he will be unable to play in the Yale-Harvard game, Nov. 13.

In Saturday's game against Yale, Hudson, Carlisle's clever quarter-back kicked a goal from the 35 yard line, a feat very seldom accomplished on the football field.

Although Lafayette's line averaged ten pounds to a man heavier than Pennsylvania's team, still time and time again the red and blues ploughed through the center and after nearly every scrimmage a Lafayette man was laid out. The victory was an overwhelming one for Pennsylvania and she buried her rivals 46-0 to wipe out last year's defeat.

Among the games scheduled for to-day are Harvard vs. Cornell, at Cambridge; Chicago A. A. vs. Newton A. A., at Newton Center; Bowdoin vs. M. I. T., at Brunswick; Carlisle Indians vs. Pennsylvania State College, at Gettysburg; U. of P. vs. Brown, at Providence; Worcester Academy vs. Andover, at Andover; Wesleyan vs. Dartmouth, at Middletown.

H. B. Haskell '94, came out with the Harvard squad on Friday and appeared on the side lines in the Brown game, Saturday. He is in the medical school and qualified to play under the four year rule and the one year residence restriction. He is heavier and stronger than when in Amherst and is regarded as a very promising man especially if the epidemic of serious injuries continue to prevail in Cambridge. On Saturday every man in the line except Doucelte was laid off and he has just recovered from a serious accident.

#### LECTURE IN COLLEGE HALL.

Rev. Arthur J. Benedict '72, of Housatonic, a member of the famous crew, which won at the intercollegiate regatta held at Springfield, will deliver a lecture in College Hall, Monday evening, at 8 p. m. The subject of his lecture will be "Boating." An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged. The proceeds of the lecture will be divided between the football and track athletic associations. Mr. Benedict, besides being a loyal Amherst man, is an interesting speaker. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance.



## CLASS BASEBALL.

1901, 8; '99, 7.

The decisive baseball game of the inter-class series for the college championship and the J. M. Tyler banner was played on Pratt Field last Saturday afternoon between the Juniors and Freshmen, and resulted in a victory for the Freshmen after a five inning game. During part of the game both sides played excellent ball, but both teams broke down for one inning each, letting the opposing side score five runs. With the exception of these two innings, the game was closely contested and interesting. The freshman team was especially weak in its outfield, while here lay much of '99's strength. Davis pitched a somewhat better game than Griffin. The features of the game were the excellent work of Messinger at second base for the Juniors and Fisher at third for the Freshmen, Rushmore's long three-bagger to right field, and Moore's fine catch of a hot liner at second.

The game opened with 1901 in the field, and both sides succeeded in scoring a run during the first inning. In the second owing to the batting of the Juniors and the errors of the Freshmen, '99 scored five runs, and in the second half 1901 could make no gain. In the third inning, each side again scored a single run. The score now stood 7 to 2 in favor of the Juniors, but in the fourth inning, the Freshmen took a brace, shut out the Juniors, and when they came to bat, obtained five runs under conditions similar to those of the second inning. This made the score 7 to 7. The Juniors failed to score in the fifth, but after two outs, Lamb crossed the plate winning the game for the Freshmen. Score 8 to 7.

The score:

FRESHMEN.						
	A.B.	R.	B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Royse, l. f.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Kretchmar, r. f.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher, 3b.	3	1	0	2	0	0
Gladwin, lb.	3	1	1	1	0	1
Moore, 2b.	3	1	1	1	2	1
Lamb, c. f., r. f.	3	2	2	0	0	1
Rushmore, s. s.	3	0	2	0	1	0
Couch, c.	3	1	0	5	0	2
Davis, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Goodwin, c. f.	2	2	1	0	1	0
Totals,	26	8	6	15	6	5
JUNIORS.						
	A.B.	R.	B.	P.O.	A.	E.
DeWitt, c.	3	1	1	4	2	1
Rosa, lb.	3	1	1	4	0	0
Kendall, r. f.	3	0	0	0	0	1
Tinker, c. f.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Foster, l. f.	3	2	2	0	0	0
Miller, 3b.	3	1	2	1	0	2
Russell, s. s.	2	1	1	2	2	1
Messinger, 2b.	2	1	0	2	4	1
Griffin, p.	2	0	0	0	0	1
Totals,	24	7	7	14	9	7
Innings,				1 2 3	4 5	
Freshmen,				1 0 1	5 1—8	
Juniors,				1 5 1	0 0—7	

Earned runs—Freshmen 1, Juniors 1. Three base hit—Rushmore. Base on balls—off Davis 1, off Griffin 1. Hit by pitched ball—Royse. Struck out—by Davis 5, by Griffin 3. Passed ball, DeWitt; time, 1-20; umpire, Lieut. Wright.

\*Winning run made with two out.

## TRIANGULAR BASEBALL.

The New England Tric collegiate Baseball Association held its annual meeting at Hanover, N. H., last Wednesday evening, Oct. 27. The following men were elected to fill the offices of the Association for the ensuing year: President, F. T. Wood, Williams; first vice-president, J. W. Bartlett, Dartmouth; second vice-president, F. W. Fosdick, Amherst; secretary and treasurer, C. E. Mitchell, Amherst; judiciary committee, P. F. Drew, Dartmouth, J. F. Gregory, Amherst, and E. P. Ross, Williams.

Amherst was represented at the meeting by Manager Fosdick and Captain Gregory. The pennant for the championship was formally awarded to Williams.

The following is the schedule of games adopted for the season of 1898:

May 4, Williams at Amherst.  
May 13-14, Dartmouth at Williamstown.  
May 20-21, Amherst at Hanover.  
May 28, Amherst at Williamstown.  
June 3-4, Dartmouth at Amherst.  
June 10-11, Williams at Hanover.  
June 18, Amherst at Williamstown.  
June 28, Williams at Amherst.

## COLLEGE IMPROVEMENTS.

The grading on the old Boltwood estate was begun Monday. The work is being done by Contractor Thomas Smith of Worcester under the supervision of Professor Maynard of the Agricultural College. Frank Law Olmsted, the celebrated landscape gardener, is at the head of the whole as chief advisor and will probably inspect the progress of the work every ten days or so. The contract calls for the completion of the grading and roadways by May 1, 1898, and work will be kept up until January 1, or until it is stopped by cold weather, and will be begun again about the middle of March.

The improvements as now planned will cost from \$5000 to \$8000, though originally the specifications called for an outlay of nearly \$15,000. It is proposed to grade from Maple street down to the chemical and physical laboratories. In doing this it will be necessary to remove the elevation in front of Walker Hall to the depth of six or seven feet. The earth obtained from this excavating will be taken to fill in on the low ground behind the laboratories. The ground will also be sloped from the front of Walker Hall to the boundary line toward College street.

Quite an elaborate system of driveways is to be built. A road will be started from Maple street between Hitchcock Hall and

the Phi Delta Theta House and will extend along the boundary line eastward to Dickinson street. Two spur driveways will connect it with the back of the laboratories and another connecting with them will encircle the southern end of the building and meet the old road coming down from Walker Hall in front. A branch will run from the front of the laboratories and curving to the northwest will join the road along the northern boundary. An oval-shaped piece of land will thus be left in front of the laboratories. From Walker Hall two symmetrical branches will enclose an elliptical shaped figure having one apex at Walker Hall and the other due north at the edge of the property occupied by Professor Grosvenor. From this point a road 30 feet wide will extend to College street. A path will be built from the north front of Walker Hall round the hill to the Barrett Gymnasium. The driveways will be built of binding gravel rolled every six inches, and will have paved gutters. They will be provided with a complete system of sewers, with man holes, catch-basins, etc. to carry off the surface water. The loam is all being scraped off and collected into spoil banks. In the spring when the grading and filling in is completed this will be put back as top dressing. The low ground back of the laboratories will need considerable filling in and will be drained by agricultural tile. All the banks and the borders of the driveways will be sodded and grass seed sown inside.

Contractor Smith expects to have 60 men and 40 horses at work in a few days. That they will have plenty to do may be seen from the following figures: The area to be improved is nearly 10 acres. Sixteen thousand cubic yards of excavation will be necessary. Seven thousand square yards of roadway will have to be built and 485 yards of walk. Two thousand wagon loads of gravel must be drawn for filling and 5,000 square feet of sodding will be necessary.

## GOLF TOURNAMENT.

All preliminaries in the Golf tournament have been played off and the drawings have been made. The result is as follows: Otterson '98 plays H. Mossman '98; Woodworth '99 plays C. F. Merrill '99; Howland '98 plays Tyler '98; Wight '99 plays A. Mossman '98. These matches will be played off within a few days in order to allow time for the handicap tournament. The entire club will participate in the latter and the handicaps will be made out on the basis of the showing made in the regular tournament.

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OUR attention has been called by the football management to the custom prevailing among some men in College of tearing down the notices of football games posted in various places on the college grounds. These notices are posted for a purpose and they should certainly be left to serve that purpose until after the games which they announce have been played.

WE have often spoken of the disgraceful way in which Amherst men have acted toward visiting teams when they have crowded the side lines and yelled at their opponents. We are pained to note any signs of such conduct on the part of any of the students even on the part of those men who have been in College only a few weeks. Such a spirit as was shown by those of the freshman class who were present on Pratt Field last Saturday was entirely wrong and misdirected. We cannot condemn too severely the conduct of a body of college men who rise and shout at the errors of their opponents.

IT is with a sense of personal loss that we record this week the death of one of the members of The STUDENT Board. Mr. Armstrong became a member of the Board

in March 1896 and since that time has worked faithfully for the best interests of THE STUDENT often sacrificing personal comfort in the carrying out of his ideas. In his death THE STUDENT loses a true friend and helper, who by his upright character and his genial nature won the lasting respect of all the Board. We unite in expressing our deep sorrow at the sudden end of a life so full of promise and our sincere sympathy for the bereaved family.

A YEAR ago the authorities deemed it advisable to limit the Thanksgiving recess for the current year, and presumably for future years, to the single legal holiday, and however mistaken it may have been, the impression was certainly given at the time and was current among the undergraduates that the two days of recess thus taken away would be added to the Christmas or Easter vacation. The argument was that the men almost invariably took advantage of their cuts and prolonged the three days at Thanksgiving into a week's time, that the protracted recess seriously interrupted the work of the term and that the two days could be much better spared at the beginning or close of the Christmas or Easter vacation. So far as can be learned from the present catalogue the extra two days have not been added to the Christmas vacation. If it is the intention to add them to the Easter vacation we suggest that it would be highly acceptable to the student body to cut the Easter vacation thus lengthened one week short and close a week earlier in June. If however, as seems probable the two days are not to be given at all, we question the wisdom of the new step. The academic year at Amherst is already longer than at a number of other colleges and is certainly of full length. It has always been a disagreeable feature of our academic year that Commencement has frequently come the very last week in June and from one to two weeks later than at neighboring institutions. In view of this therefore, we thoroughly believe that to lengthen the academic year, though only by two days' time is an unwise step on the part of the authorities.

IT is a pleasure to notice the way in which the College is responding to the appeals of the football management for a larger squad of men to give the varsity eleven practice. The old Amherst spirit is beginning to show itself anew and it augurs well for the cham-

pionship series which is now so near at hand. The organization of the two scrub teams to oppose the varsity is a new idea at Amherst and a very commendable one. Such an arrangement cannot fail to make the practice much more satisfactory than when only an ill organized scrub eleven was formed to line up against the regular team each afternoon. It is practically impossible for such a light eleven as the scrub team to play a snappy enough game every afternoon of the week to make up for the deficiency in weight. By the new system each team will have a chance to rest and thus the varsity will always have a fresh team to line up against. That this plan may be a success, however, it is very necessary that all the men on the team be regular in their attendance on the days assigned them and that team play and a permanent set of signals be agreed upon, as by this means, and this only, will they be properly fitted to give the varsity the practice which is so much needed. Let every one go down to the field as often as possible and cheer every brilliant play. The spectators should be careful however not to cross the sidelines and interfere with the plays, a thing which has happened several times recently. Football prospects have brightened considerably since last week. Let the enthusiasm continue and increase and the result will be success.

## CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, Oct. 30.—Football game, Amherst vs. Trinity, at Hartford, Conn.  
SUNDAY, Oct. 31.—Preaching in the College church by Professor Grosvenor.  
MONDAY, Nov. 1.—Lecture in College Hall by Rev. A. J. Benedict '72 at 8 p. m.  
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 3.—Football game, 1900 vs. 1901, Pratt field.  
SATURDAY, Nov. 6.—Football game on Pratt Field, Williams vs. Amherst.

## OFFICIAL NOTICES.

Blanks can be obtained at the Treasurer's office for applications for scholarships, which should be on file by Nov. 1.

## TREASURER.

All interested in the formation of a Chess club please meet in the Y. M. C. A. room Monday evening at 7-00 o'clock.

All Juniors desiring to compete for the position of Assistant Manager of *The Lit.* will hand their names to the Business Manager before Monday night.

RICHARD H. GREGORY.



## RELIGIOUS NOTES.

Professor Genung preached at the Baptist church last Sunday.

The Mission Study class will meet as usual in the Y. M. C. A. room this evening.

Professor Tyler led the freshman Bible class last Sunday instead of Professor Genung as was announced.

Professor Tyler led the mid-week prayer meeting Thursday evening on the subject "Be Strong," 1 Cor. 16: 13.

The sophomore class will take for the subject of its prayer meeting this week, 1 Cor. 13. G. L. Bryan will act as leader.

The Bible Study committee of the Y. M. C. A. met Tuesday evening and decided to give a course of Bible lectures next term.

The service of the College Church to-morrow will be conducted by Professor Grosvenor. He will also lead the Vesper service.

There will be a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. room at 7-00 P. M. to-morrow led by J. F. Gregory '98. Topic: "College Enthusiasm." All are welcome.

The subject for the freshman class prayer meeting at 5-30 P. M. to-morrow will be, Some Things Worth Living For. 1 John 2: 12-17. Leader, E. C. Buffum.

The *Congregationalist* this week contains photographs of Dr. Lamson '64, Rev. N. Boynton '79 and D. W. James, trustee of Amherst, in connection with an account of the recent meeting of the American Board.

To-morrow morning comes the annual offering for the American Board of Foreign Missions. A file of New Haven papers, with full reports of the late annual meeting of the Board, can be seen in the College Library Reading Room.

At the communion service Sunday the following new members were received: On confession of faith, E. C. Buffum and W. M. Clark 1901. By letter, C. B. MacDuffee 1900. The following were received in the Covenant of Christian Fellowship: I. H. Childs 1900, J. E. Denham and R. B. Dodge 1901.

At a meeting of the Connecticut Valley Congregational club with the First Congregational church of South Hadley Falls, Monday, Prof. Joseph H. Sawyer '65, of Williston Seminary, read a paper on "The Educational Work of the Free Public Library," written by Librarian Fletcher, who was unable to be present.

## BIBLE CLASSES.

'98. Life of St. Paul. Leader—Secretary Clark. Y. M. C. A. Room.

'99. Study of Old Testament Characters. Leader—Dr. P. C. Phillips. Latin Room, Williston Hall.

1900. The Life of Paul. Leader—F. Q. Blanchard '98. College Church.

1901. The Life of Our Lord. Leader—President Gates. College Church.

## IN BRIEF.

C. W. Cobb '97 is assisting Professor Garman in Psychology.

There will be no re-organization of the Philological club this year.

Professor Morse gave an informal tea and reception Wednesday afternoon.

The sophomore class are learning the fencing drill under Mr. Nelligan.

F. W. Raymond '99 is playing the piano for the senior gymnasium exercise.

Professor Cowles' optional division in Latin meets on Thursday afternoons.

Richard Croker, Jr., ex-'99 is playing half-back on the Brown University eleven.

The sophomore divisions in Declamation will meet on Fridays and Saturdays this term.

Professor Genung's English reading class will meet on Friday evenings until further notice.

President Gates will serve another term as president of the American Missionary association.

W. T. Linnehan of the class of 1900 has been appointed one of the ballot clerks for election day.

The Smith mandolin club has organized with Miss Knowlton '98 leader, and Miss Kennard '99 manager.

The six weeks make-up examination in French and German will be held Nov. 3 at Room 4, Walker Hall.

H. F. Lyman '98 read an essay on the Essays of Elia before the senior class in English Literature on Tuesday.

The magazine files at the Library have been arranged in alphabetical order on the same floor as the reading room.

The Broadway Opera company of New York will appear in the comic opera "The Highwaymen" at Northampton Nov. 1.

Professor Richardson's collateral reading in connection with the second year German work of Goethe's Prosa will be on the "Life and Works of Goethe."

Miss Buffum gave a very pleasant afternoon tea from four to six last Wednesday, at which a number of the students were present.

The 52 annual convention of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity will be held with the Delta Delta chapter at Chicago, Nov. 21 to 24.

Manager Bardwell has secured the following attractions for the Town Hall for November: Nov. 11, Gorton's Minstrels; Nov. 20, Joe Ott.

The anthropometric measurements of the freshman class will be completed in about two weeks. The work is progressing as fast as is possible.

Professor Cowles has recently received a number of new photographs of the actors in the Latin plays which have been presented at Boston University.

At a meeting of the Amherst Indian Association held Oct. 20, Mrs. Anson D. Morse was elected president and Mrs. Merrill E. Gates vice-president.

The board of control of Pratt Cottage have sent out special invitations to the friends of the College to inspect the cottage to-day from 3-00 to 5-00 P. M.

Dr. Hitchcock was one of the honorary bearers at the funeral of Mrs. Betsey H. Hills last Saturday. Professor Tyler was one of the active bearers.

Margaret Sutton Briscoe (Mrs. A. J. Hopkins) has an illustrated story entitled, "The Quarter Loaf" in the Editors' Drawer of *Harper's Magazine* for November.

The junior class has elected L. D. Wilcox of Bergen, N. Y., football director in place of H. P. Whitney who is disqualified for the position by playing on the 'varsity eleven.

The course of 12 lectures to be given on Faust by Professor Richardson in the Art Museum, Springfield, will begin Nov. 5 or 12. It is planned to have the lectures each Friday.

Professor Grosvenor opened the course of the New Century club in Philadelphia on Thursday, Oct. 28, with his lecture on the "Greeks of Antiquity and the Greeks of To-day."

A hearing will be held in the selectmen's rooms in the Town Hall next Friday evening to consider why the tax assessed upon the president's house should not be abated. M. F. Dickinson, Jr., '62 of Boston will be present to represent the interests of the College. This is the first year that the president's residence has been taxed.

A mistake was made in the last issue of THE STUDENT in regard to the number of men in Professor Grosvenor's Junior History class. The class is composed of 69 instead of 60 as was printed.

Librarian Fletcher attended the funeral of the late Justin Winsor, Librarian of Harvard University at Boston on Monday last, also a meeting of the Massachusetts Library club at Medford on Tuesday.

The Glee club gave several selections at a concert given at the First Congregational church Wednesday evening. The club will probably make its next appearance at Sunderland next Wednesday evening.

Professor Frink has decided not to announce the subjects for the Hogan Oration until next term in order to enable students to have more preliminary practice in writing before these topics are given.

The freshman glee club has elected P. J. Morgan of Cleveland, Ohio, leader, C. E. Robertson of New Milford, Conn., assistant leader, and W. M. Clark of Elizabeth, N. J. manager. Rehearsals will be held Tuesday evenings from 6-45 to 7-45.

The Boston Herald of Monday published an interesting article concerning the formation of the present triangular league between Amherst, Dartmouth and Williams, and gave short sketches, together with the pictures, of the captains of the three foot-ball teams.

### FRESHMAN ELECTIONS.

A meeting of the freshman class was held in the Small Chapel last Saturday afternoon for the purpose of electing the remaining necessary officers. The following elections were made: Treasurer, M. L. Bishop of New York; football director, J. L. Godfrey, Northampton; baseball director, F. R. Fisher, Toledo, O.; tennis director, H. A. Miller, North Adams.

### COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES.

The following members of the senior class have been appointed to compose the class committee on committees: E. H. Blatchford, J. F. Carmody, Lee Elam, H. I. Everett, E. S. Gardner, R. H. Gregory, W. H. Hitchcock, H. C. Ide, J. E. Lind, H. F. Lyman, C. W. Merriam, M. H. Nims, H. Walker.

### ANTHONY HOPE AT NORTHAMPTON.

Mr. Anthony Hope Hawkins will give a reading in the City Hall, Northampton, next Wednesday evening. The opportunity to hear the author of some of our most popular recent fiction is rare indeed and Northampton is to be envied for her success in securing him for one of the fifty readings which he gives in America. A special train will return to Amherst after the reading.

### DELTA UPSILON CONVENTION.

The annual convention of the Delta Upsilon fraternity was held with the Amherst chapter Oct. 21 and 22. It was also the 50 anniversary of the foundation of the Amherst chapter. For the better entertainment and convenience of the guests arrangements were made for them at the Norwood in Northampton. Of the 31 chapters in the fraternity all but one was represented at the convention, making an attendance of 60 delegates. The greater portion of these delegates arrived Wednesday afternoon. In the evening a company of 15 went to Springfield to see Joe Jefferson in the "Cricket on the Hearth" and "Lend Me Five Shillings."

Thursday was devoted to business sessions held at the Norwood. In the absence of the president and first and second vice-president, H. D. Brackett '98 presided. At the morning session, G. E. Merriam '95 gave the address of welcome which was responded to by C. M. Bumstead of Pennsylvania. The remainder of the session was almost entirely devoted to the hearing of reports from the various chapters. L. D. Wilcox '99 and H. D. Brackett '98 reported for the Amherst chapter. In the afternoon the hearing and accepting of the reports of committees and officers was attended to and all new business coming before the convention was then brought up. The session adjourned early that all might go to the station to meet the president of the fraternity, Judge Elijah B. Sherman of Chicago.

Thursday evening the public exercises were held at Amherst in College Hall. The program was as follows: Invocation, Rev. H. T. McEwen, Adelbert '78. Address, Pres't E. B. Sherman, Middlebury '60. History, Paul S. Reinsch, Wisconsin '92. Poem, Willard S. Small, Tufts '94. Oration, Rupert E. Hughes, Adelbert '92. Music was furnished for the evening by Warner's orchestra of Northampton. After these exercises were over a smoke talk was given at the chapter house, the members returning by special train to Northampton.

Friday morning the final business meeting was held with President Sherman in the chair. Though the morning was crowded with business all matters were attended to before the noon hour. The session was devoted to the completion of unfinished business and the election of officers. In the afternoon those in attendance accompanied by a large number of Smith College students, 132 in all, went to the top of Mount Tom by the way of Holyoke, returning to Northampton in the early

evening. Friday evening a banquet was given in Columbian Hall, Northampton. About 100 guests sat down to the tables and after an enjoyable menu the list of toasts came as follows: Toastmaster, Rev. Henry T. McEwen, D. D. of New York City; Amherst to the Fraternity, Eugene W. Lyman, Amherst '94; The West to the East, William P. Gifford, Stanford '97; The Scholar in Society, George F. Andrews, Brown '92; Our Sisters at Smith, Walter M. Yuik, Cornell '99; The Executive Council, Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, Columbia '90; Our Graduates, Prof. Harris H. Wilder, Amherst '86; Sentiment Sui Generis, Judge E. B. Sherman; The Future, Prof. John F. Genung. Dr. Tuttle was to have responded to a toast on the fraternity motto but was unable to be present. The banquet was the last feature of the convention and early on Saturday morning the delegates and visitors began to leave for their respective homes and colleges. The convention is to meet next year with the Pennsylvania chapter at Philadelphia. The following Amherst alumni were present: M. J. Hazeltine '47, M. L. Gaylord '48, H. H. Wilder '86, E. W. Lyman '94, G. E. Merriam '96, F. E. Bolster '96, Edward Perry ex-'96, S. E. Straight ex-'98 and G. A. Swertfager '97. The following fraternity officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Judge E. B. Sherman, Middlebury '60; first vice-president, C. M. Bumstead, Pennsylvania '98; second vice-president, C. G. Roe, Michigan '99; third vice-president, C. W. Chester, Pennsylvania '99; secretary, Goldwin Goldsmith, Columbia '96; treasurer, C. Goss, Pennsylvania '00; orator, Rev. H. T. McEwen, Adelbert '78; poet, W. L. Corbin, Amherst '96; historian, Stephen Crane, Syracuse '94.

### SENIOR DEBATES.

Four debates have been given this week before the senior class, the same subjects being debated before the two divisions. The questions were: "Is Tennyson's later version of Locksley Hall in spirit and statement untrue to fact?" debated by Allan, affirmative; Davis, negative. The negative side won the debate. Resolved, that an eight hour work day should be adopted by law throughout the United States. Affirmative, Austin and Eveleth; negative, Furbish and Everett. The affirmative side won.

In the Tuesday division the same questions were discussed. The first by Nims, affirmative; and Hitchcock, negative, the affirmative winning. The second by Trefethen and Nichols, affirmative; Ide and Howard, negative, the affirmative side winning.



## SENIOR CLASS ELECTION.

At a meeting of the senior class held Saturday evening, Oct. 23, the following officers were elected:

President, James D. Lennehan, Springfield.  
Vice president, Quintard Johnson, Chicago, Ill.  
Secretary, Alfred E. Porter, Springfield.  
Treasurer, Samuel B. Furbish, Brunswick, Me.

Gym. captain, Fred K. Dyer, Washington, D. C.

Vice Gym. captain, Harold Walker, New York, N. Y.

Baseball director, James F. Gregory, Borden-town, N. J.

Football director, Edward H. Barnum, Auburn-dale.

Athletic director, Samuel B. Furbish Brunswick, Me.

Tennis director, Frederick W. Goddard, Plainfield, N. J.

Class orator, James F. Gregory, Bordentown, N. J.

Class poet, Ferdinand Q. Blanchard, West Newton.

Grove orator, Charles W. Merriam, Springfield.

Grove poet, Frank C. Wellman, East Jaffrey, N. H.

Ivy orator, William E. Walker, Amherst.

Ivy poet, Harry G. Dwight, Montpelier, Vt.

Toastmaster, Charles K. Arter, Cleveland, O.

Prophet, Haven D. Brackett, Southbridge.

Prophet on Prophet, Wm. L. B. Collins, Keene, N. H.

Choregus, David C. McAllister, Walton, N. Y.

Marshal, Fred K. Dyer, Washington, D. C.

Permanent class secretary, D. B. Trefethen, Portsmouth, N. H.

Chairman Senior Prom. Committee, H. H. Mossman New York City.

The cap and gown was adopted by the class as usual; also \$20 was voted for football. The presentation exercises were abolished and a substitute for the same was left to the committee on committees. The usual number of freshmen entertained the meeting during the business session.

## TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

The tennis tournament for the championship of the College in singles was finished this week. J. S. Johnston '98, by defeating F. W. Goddard '98 in three sets, wins the tournament and championship. The scores were 6-4, 8-6, 6-4.

The matches in doubles have not been played further than the second round.

Hitchcock and Holman defaulted to Watson and Crapo, and Sharp and Fisher defeated Lyall and Kimball 7-5, 7-5.

## JOHN HERBERT ARMSTRONG.

Again the College circle has been broken in upon by death, John H. Armstrong of the junior class having passed away at his home in Winchester last Sunday evening. Mr. Armstrong had been unwell since the close of the term last June and during the early part of September an operation in the hospital showed the presence of malignant cancers. In spite of the operation and all that the best specialists from New York and Boston could suggest the progress of disease could not be checked and after eight weeks of intense suffering the end came. During two years of life in College, Armstrong had won the sincere affection and regard of all who knew him. His genial nature, quick sympathy and manly Christian life won for him many warm friends. His friendships were of an uncommon order in their strength and sincerity. He revealed to his friends the brightness, the purity and the nobility of his nature, and those who knew him best, loved and honored him most. His life in College was characterized by the enthusiasm with which he threw himself into all that was worthy of his support. A faithful student, he still found time for the many college interests that claimed his attention and this interest in all that went on in College continued to the last. While the College mourns his loss, the thought and sympathy of all go out to the bereaved parents and the brothers and sisters in the early death of their eldest son and brother.

Born at Winchester, Mass., August 7, 1887, John H. Armstrong entered Amherst with the class of '99. He joined the Chi Phi Fraternity, and before the end of his freshman year was elected a member of the STUDENT Board. During sophomore year he was appointed to the '99 *Olio* Board.

The funeral was held at the home of his parents at Winchester on Wednesday afternoon at 2-00 P. M. and was attended by the following friends from the College and the Chi Phi fraternity: Edward H. Smith '98, Ralph B. Gibbs '98, Arthur C. Morse '99, James W. Russell, Jr. '99, Frederick N. Dewar '99, James C. Graves Jr. '99, Herbert M. Messinger '99, and John H. Marriott who represented the junior class. The bearers were E. H. Smith '98 and J. C. Graves, Jr., A. C. Morse, H. M. Messinger, J. H. Marriott and J. W. Russell, Jr., classmates of the deceased. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

In the death of our beloved class-mate, John Herbert Armstrong, we, the class of '99, feel that we have suffered a personal loss; and while real-

izing how inadequate are words to show our sense of grief, desire to express our own bereavement and the deep and heartfelt sympathy we feel towards his family, in whose affliction we share.

His was a sterling character; and he won the esteem and admiration of all by his loyalty to his college and to his class.

ALFRED C. HENDERSON,  
HENRY T. HUTCHINS.  
EMORY B. POTTLE.

LODGE PHI OF CHI PHI, AMHERST COLLEGE,

OCTOBER 27, 1897.

*Whereas*, our brother, John Herbert Armstrong, of the class of '99, has been called home by an all wise and ever merciful Heavenly Father, and

*Whereas*, we have lost a beloved friend, whose companionship we appreciated, whose manhood we honored, and from whose future we expected much, we do hereby

*Resolve*, that the pins of the Chapter be draped for two weeks, out of respect for the memory of the dead, and do further

*Resolve*, that copies of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, printed in the AMHERST STUDENT and placed on file among the records of the Chapter.

CHARLES W. MERRIAM. } For the  
ARTHUR C. MORSE. } Chapter.  
RALPH B. REDFERN. }

*Whereas*, It has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to remove from our number our friend and co-worker, John Herbert Armstrong of the class of 1899; be it

*Resolved*, that we the Amherst College STUDENT Board who have had this earnest and willing character among us as a worker and helper, although we feel this means of expressing our loss to be inadequate, do seek to impress our deep regret that he should have been taken from our staff, and furthermore, be it

*Resolved*, that as an expression of our deep sympathy, a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family and a copy be published in the AMHERST STUDENT.

CLINTON A. STRONG, } For the  
WILLIAM F. MERRILL, } Board.  
CHARLES E. MITCHELL. }

*Whereas*, it has pleased our Heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst our true friend, and co-worker, John Herbert Armstrong, be it

*Resolved*, that we, the *Olio* Board of the class of '99, while yielding in reverence to God's will, do deeply deplore our loss, and do extend to the bereaved family our sincere and heartfelt sympathy, and be it

*Resolved*, that these resolutions be published in the AMHERST STUDENT and transmitted to the family of the deceased.

THE BOARD OF EDITORS  
OF THE NINETY-NINE OLIO.

## COTILLION CLUB.

At a meeting of the Cotillion club held Tuesday evening, Oct. 26, the following officers were elected: President, H. H. Mossman; vice-president, H. E. Harkness; secretary and treasurer, H. T. Hutchins. The following men from the class of '99 were elected to membership: H. T. Hutchins of Worcester, W. H. Griffin of Brooklyn, N. Y., L. C. Merrell of Syracuse, N. Y., C. F. Merrill of New York, N. Y., G. W. Moore of Oil City, Pa. The club dance this term will be given Wednesday evening, Nov. 17 at the Delta Kappa Epsilon house.

## ALUMNI NOTES.

SIXTY-SIX.

Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, because of poor health, is unable to take active part in the campaign now in progress in Greater New York. Upon the course of this campaign the *Springfield Republican* says. "Every day of the political campaign of Greater New York increases our admiration for Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst. Well did he say that one Platt is more dangerous than five Crokers."

'69.—Daniel G. Thompson died of apoplexy in New York on July 10. He was born in Montpelier, Vt., in 1850 and was a lineal descendant of Count Rumford. He was admitted to the New York bar in 1872. For the past 25 years he has given much time and attention to literary and philosophical studies and writings. He was one of the foremost writers in the country on metaphysics. He published several books, contributed to magazines and occasionally lectured. He was a member of the Athenaeum club in London and of the Century, the Manhattan, the Authors', the Lawyers' and other clubs in New York, being at one time president of the Nineteenth Century club.

EIGHTY.

Rev. L. Mason Clarke, pastor of the Park Presbyterian church, Syracuse, N. Y., has received a call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Brooklyn, N. Y. At a recent meeting of the Syracuse church the congregation passed resolutions vigorously protesting against Mr. Clarke's contemplated resignation. Mr. Clarke will probably accept the call and will soon tender his resignation to the Syracuse church. Mr. Clark will succeed Rev. Cuthbert Hall, who resigned as pastor in order to assume the presidency of Union Theological seminary.

George P. Lawrence of North Adams, received the nomination for Congressman from the first Massachusetts Congressional district, at the Republican convention held at Holyoke, Tuesday, Oct. 6.

'81.—Robert V. Sawin of Brimfield is the Republican candidate for representative from the first district of Hampden county.

EIGHTY-TWO.

Hon. Frank C. Partridge of Rutland, Vt., has been appointed by President McKinley the American Consul-General at Tangiers,

Morocco. Mr. Partridge has had an extended experience and a wide knowledge of the business methods of the state department. He first went to Washington as private secretary to Secretary Porter, when the latter was Secretary of War. He was later appointed solicitor of the state department to succeed the late Walker Blaine. This position he filled with credit and afterwards was appointed United States minister to Venezuela by President Harrison. His present post is an important one in view of the recent troubles Americans have had in Morocco.

William F. Stearns was installed Oct. 6, as pastor of the Congregational church of Norfolk, Conn.

EIGHTY-SIX.

Rev. G. F. Kenngott represented the First Trinitarian church of Lowell, formerly known as the First Congregational church, at the Andover conference of Congregational churches held at the Kirk Street church, Lowell, recently.

J. S. Young is preaching in Garfield, N. J.

E. N. Fairley is the pastor of the Presbyterian church in Roseland, N. J.

EIGHTY-SEVEN.

G. A. Mirick is assistant supervisor of schools in New Haven.

Willard J. Nourse, is practicing law in Lake City, Colo., in the firm of Brown and Nourse.

Alvan F. Sanborn has been in France this summer but will return to this country in November.

EIGHTY-EIGHT.

J. A. Fairley is preaching in Nutley, N. J.

The marriage of William B. Child to Miss Mary Gertrude Sykes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Sykes, occurred at Elkhart, Ind., Thursday evening, Oct. 7.

Dr. Herman V. Ames, Ph. D., Harvard, will this year occupy the position of Instructor in American History in the University of Pennsylvania. Since his graduation, Dr. Ames has been in the service of the University of Michigan and has also travelled abroad for study. On his return last year, he occupied a position in the University of Ohio. He was the winner of the prize offered by the American Historical association for the best piece of historical research. His Monograph entitled "Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the United States," will appear in the next volume of the publications of the society.

EIGHTY-NINE.

R. R. White is preaching in Macon, Ga.

F. E. Spaulding is the superintendent of schools in Passaic, N. J.

J. L. Chamberlain was united in marriage to Miss Emma C. Ladd of Springfield at Springfield, July 7. Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain made a wedding tour through England and the Continent and Mr. Chamberlain has returned to his duties as teacher of the classics in the University school of Cleveland, O.

Wm. E. Chancellor is superintendent of schools in Bloomfield, N. J.

Rev. John J. Walker, son of Mrs. Elizabeth E. Walker of Amherst, was married to Miss Bertha A. Pierce, at Claremont, N. H., recently. Mr. Walker graduated at the Andover Theological seminary in 1894. After graduation he became pastor of a church in Providence, R. I., and then of the Congregational church in Yarmouth where he is now settled. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. B. Lawrence in the First Congregational church. William E. Walker '98, brother of the groom was one of the ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Walker will be at home at Yarmouth after November 15.

NINETY-FOUR.

H. B. Haskell, captain of the '93 football team, is studying medicine at the Harvard Medical school.

F. A. Fritchner is playing regularly at right guard on the St. Mark's football team at Southboro.

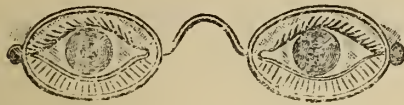
E. R. Evans has been on a three months' tour through Germany and Switzerland this summer and has returned to resume his work in the Yale Divinity school a second year.

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## ALUMNI NOTES.

'31. James B. Jermain, of Albany, N. Y., died July 13.

'39.—Rev. Dr. Richard S. Storrs, presided at the annual meeting of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions held at New Haven recently.

'58.—Rev. Dr. J. B. Clark gave an address on "The Congregational Home Missionary Society," at the conference of the Hampden County Congregational churches held with the North church, Springfield, Tuesday, Oct. 19

'60.—Rev. J. O. Barrows is pastor of the Road Congregational church, Stonington, Conn.

'64.—Rev. Dr. C. M. Lamson of Hartford preached the sermon at the conference of the Hampden County Congregational churches held with the North church, Springfield, Oct. 20.

'65.—J. C. Hammond and H. M. Tyler were recently elected directors of the Northampton street railway company.

'74.—Rev. C. P. Mills of Newburyport, last year a member of the state legislature is a candidate for reelection.

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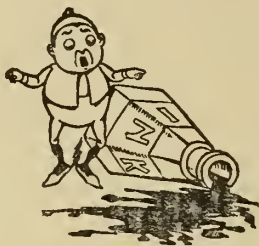
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